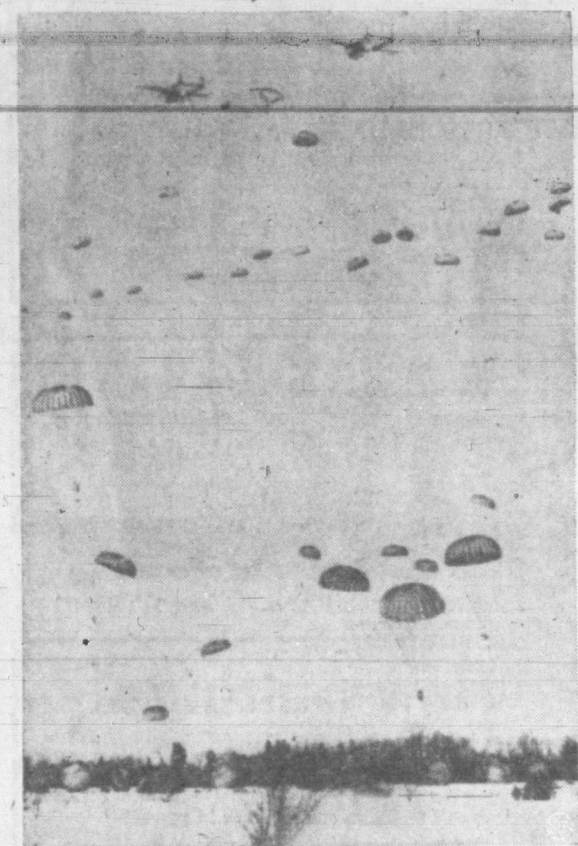


## Plunge Of U.S. Markets Shows Signs Of Halt

### Crowded Airways



Part of 400 white-clad paratroopers drop through a clear, sub-zero sky in the largest mass over-snow parachute jump in U.S. army history. They landed in 12-foot-deep snow near Pine Camp, N.Y. The manoeuvre was part of "Exercise Snowdrop."

### De Valera Loses Majority; May Continue As Premier

DUBLIN (AP)—Thomas J. Mullins, secretary of the Fianna Fail (Government Party), said today Prime Minister Eamon de Valera lost his Dail (Parliament) majority by a slim margin in Wednesday's general election.

But Mullins said the Prime Minister would be able to form a new government with the support of Labor and Independents.

Complete returns from three quarters of Eire's 40 constituencies showed De Valera's Fianna Fail could not hope to obtain the 74 seats needed for a clear majority in the 142-member Dail.

However, William Burke, general secretary of the Fine Gael Party, De Valera's chief opposition, conceded the Prime Minister had a "fairly good chance" of extending his unbroken 16 years of rule with the support of the minority groups.

#### GET 55 OUT OF 117

The latest official returns issued by the government information bureau gave the Fianna Fail 55 of the 117 seats so far determined.

The Fianna Fail led the old Dail, dissolved last fall, with 76 of the 142 seats.

During the campaign De Valera

### Gandhi Rejected Safety Measures, India Informed

NEW DELHI (AP)—Home Minister Sardar V. Patel told Parliament today Mohandas K. Gandhi rejected his entreaties to have persons attending his prayer meetings searched.

"My life is in the hands of God and if I have to die, no precautions can save me," Patel quoted Gandhi as saying, vetoing his appeal.

Gandhi was shot to death a week ago while walking to a prayer meeting.

Meanwhile Devadas Gandhi said today his father had possessed no property and left no will.

He said his father desired that any properties which might nominally be considered his should go to his charity and uplift projects. This, Devadas said, will be done.

A public holiday throughout India Feb. 12 when Gandhi's ashes will be immersed in the waters of the sacred rivers Jumna and Ganges, at their confluence at Allahabad, was decreed by the government.

### Arabs To Fight Any Force Sent U.N. Chief Told

LAKE SUCCESS (AP)—The Arab Higher Committee asserted today Palestine Arabs will fight any international military force sent to the Holy Land.

The committee told United Nations Secretary-General Trygve Lie that efforts of the U.N. to partition Palestine would be considered as "an act of aggression and invasion."

In a memorandum to Lie, the committee said:

1. The Arabs of Palestine never will recognize the validity of the partition plan or any authority of the U.N. to enforce it.

2. The Arabs of Palestine consider that any attempt by the Jews "or any power or group of powers to establish a Jewish state in Arab territory is an act of aggression which will be resisted in self-defence by force."

#### NO CO-OPERATION

3. It will "be unwise and fruitless to ask any commission to proceed to Palestine because not a single Arab will co-operate with the said commission."

4. The United Nations "should not be misled to believe that its efforts in the partition plan will meet with any success."

The memorandum charged the United States with exerting political pressure to force several small countries to support the partition plan approved by the 1947 U.N. Assembly.

The Soviet Ukraine accused Britain of obstructing partition. Vassily A. Tarasenko, Ukrainian delegate on the Security Council, charged the position taken by Britain was contrary to the United Nations' Assembly's decision to split the Holy Land into Jewish and Arab states.

In his first formal press interview since taking a seat on the council Jan. 1, Tarasenko said:

"The position taken by Great Britain on the Palestinian question is contrary to the resolution of the General Assembly, since such a position not only does not assist in carrying out this resolution, but is putting the drag on it."

### Barbara Ann Scott Gets Many Wires Of Congratulation

OTTAWA (CP)—Messages of congratulation—official and otherwise—started to pour out of the capital today as word was received that the city's favorite daughter had won the Olympic championship—her most prized trophy.

"From one end of Canada to the other," cabled Prime Minister King, "there is great rejoicing over your victory and at the high honor you have brought to yourself and to our country. The government joins with the people in extending warmest congratulations to you. All are delighted beyond words."

John Bracken, Progressive Conservative leader, sent this message:

"Warmest congratulations. You have once more brought honor to Canada. Your success is an inspiration to all. Talent and hard work have brought their reward."

Charles H. Cumming, secretary of the Canadian Figure Skating Association, cabled:

"All figure skaters of Canada are proud of you along with all Canadians."

(See story of Barbara Ann's victory page 13.)

### Only Street Cleaner

LONDON (AP)—The North-east district's early cuckoo has turned out to be Ezekiah Johnson.

After several delighted bird-lovers had reported hearing a cuckoo's call as early as January, Johnson, a street sweeper, confessed to a reporter:

"I wait until a crowd gathers at the Northstead bus stop and then I go in the park and do the cuckoo. They all take it in. I used to do the nightingale when I had my teeth in."

### Blessed 'Something Solid' Underfoot



Standing perilously atop a ladder, a Philadelphia fireman makes a dramatic rescue of Mrs. Laman Munson, 38, who hung by her fingertips from a third-story window ledge after flames and smoke had enveloped the establishment and cut off all exits. Ledge from which Mrs. Munson hung is seen upper right.

### British Trades Unions To Ignore Plea; Ask More Pay

LONDON (CP)—Conflict between the Labor government and important trade unions threatened today when representatives of 2,000,000 workers said they will proceed with claims for higher wages.

In a white paper directive issued Wednesday, the government laid down the policy that there should be no further general increase in the level of personal incomes without corresponding gains in production.

The powerful Trades Union Congress, central organization of the unions, evidently was surprised at the government's decision, announced in the midst of uncompleted talks with the T.U.C. on wages.

A T.U.C. committee decided to ask for an early meeting with Prime Minister Attlee, when its dissatisfaction with at least some points of the policy will be expressed.

Meantime individual unions announced they will proceed with attempts to increase incomes for workers. The railwaymen's unions will ask for a new wage structure for 750,000 and the Transport and General Workers' Union will continue to press for increases of from sixpence (10 cents) to £1 (\$4) weekly for 200,000 members.

The claims of 500,000 civil serv-

### Jobless Lines Decrease In Ontario As Gas Turned On

WINDSOR, Ont. (CP)—The pall of gloom and lines of temporary jobless began to lessen throughout western Ontario today as small supplies of natural fuel gas trickled back to shut-down industries.

About 5,220 of almost 25,000 workers, unemployed for nearly two weeks, were reported back at production lines of 45 companies, including 24 in Windsor, nine in London, eight in Chatham and four in Sarnia.

The first break in the industrial tie-up that came with dipping temperatures and resultant high domestic gas consumption, was announced in a joint statement Thursday by Mayor Arthur Reaume and Fuel Controller A. R. Crozier.

In a few days, the statement said, most of the plants affected by the shortage can, if they wish, return to some semblance of operation.

### Erratic Movement Of Commodities Seen As Healthful Adjustment

### Greece Orders Ships To Sink Unknown Subs

ATHENS (AP)—The Greek navy ministry today ordered its warships to attack and sink all unidentified submarines in Greek territorial waters.

The order followed the reported appearance of two strange submarines.

One was reported between the Peloponnese and Crete, and another off the coast of Preveza, in the Ionian Sea. Preveza is primarily a supply port for Epirus.

Troop and supply ships now are being escorted by destroyers and corvettes equipped with depth charges.

Sources said the submarine reported seen between Peloponnese and Crete attempted to make contact with a caïque (fishing vessel) and approached it, but submerged before it could reach the vessel.

The Ministry of Public Order said a guerrilla band of 80 to 100 fighters clashed with gendarmerie units of Pyli village of Mount Parnes, just 11 miles from Athens. The mountain is clearly visible from Athens.

The ministry said the guerrilla unit was part of a band which has been moving southward from Mount Parnassus for several days.

### Australia Sells Most Of Harvest

SYDNEY, Australia (CP)—Almost all of Australia's record wheat harvest has been sold by the federal government under contract to Britain and foreign countries, it was announced today.

How much wheat was involved was not disclosed, but after deducting the 80,000,000 bushels sold recently to Britain it was understood authoritatively that 50,000,000 bushels would be left for sale to Sweden, France, Norway, Switzerland, Iraq, Eire and the Pacific islands.

Prices range from \$2.72 and \$3.28 a bushel.

A long-term contract for Australia to supply Britain with wheat at a fixed price under an agreement similar to the one Britain has with Canada is predicted.

It would save the British Commonwealth dollar pool \$160,000,000.

### Britain Takes Over Electricity April 1

LONDON (AP)—Fuel Minister Hugh Gaitskell announced today the government will take ownership of Britain's electric utilities April 1. Gaitskell made the announcement in the House of Commons.

Legislation nationalizing Britain's entire generating and distributing system was passed by Parliament last year.

"A very appropriate date," cracked a Conservative M.P. on the choice of April 1.

### Butter Price Tops Dollar In New York

NEW YORK (AP)—Retail butter at \$1.01 a pound here today reached its highest price in the memory of the city markets department. (Department records date back to 1934.)

Only a falling off of demand, Markets Commissioner Eugene Schulz said, can block even higher prices.

CHICAGO (AP)—The headlong plunge of commodity prices in the United States showed signs of touching at least a temporary bottom today.

Wheat futures again reached the maximum allowable decline of 10 cents a bushel, but found enough buying to recover slightly. Corn skidded the daily limit of eight cents for the third straight day. Oats were down a lesser amount.

Some balance came back into the stock market, where prices held just about even.

Cotton futures, after dropping heavily, recovered to show narrow gains at noon on the New York exchange.

The erratic movements of commodities other than grains lent encouragement to analysts who see this week's break in the price front as a healthful adjustment rather than a definite change in direction.

Vegetable oils were among items showing further declines on the wholesale markets, but butter prices firmed somewhat at New York.

#### ALL FAMILIES WATCH

Whether the housewife eventually would pay less for a loaf of bread or a cotton dress depended on one prime factor: Whether the break in prices is a flash in the pan or a decisive turn in the inflation road.

The answer may come in the next few days.

Wheat, considered a cornerstone in the price structure, crashed in the permissible maximum drop of 10 cents a bushel on Wednesday and Thursday in Chicago, Minneapolis and Kansas City. Corn, in which acute weakness first developed, followed suit with the eight-cent maximum fall each day.

Cotton in the New York futures market dropped as much as \$3.55 a bale Wednesday and tacked on a fresh decline of 50 cents to \$1.95 Thursday.

In wholesale food and raw material markets lower prices were posted for such key items as flour, lard, hogs, cattle, lamb, grains, sugar, rubber and linseed oil.

### LATEST

#### Wright Plane To U.S.

DAYTON, O. (AP)—A letter authorizing the return of the Kitty Hawk plane from London was found in the effects of the late aviation pioneer, Orville Wright, Judge Rodney Love announced today.

#### Test For Marshall

WASHINGTON (AP)—Secretary of State Marshall's global strategy for peace appears likely to meet a critical test in Congress over his aid for China program. Officials have disclosed this program calls for \$510,000,000 of U.S. assistance to the Chinese government during the 15 months beginning April 1.

#### Rep Rugby Canceled

The McKeehan Cup rugby match between Varsity Thunderbirds and Victoria Crimson Tide scheduled for Vancouver tomorrow has been canceled, Archie Gibbs, president of the B.C.R.U., said today.

#### Blizzard Kills 2

PRINCE GEORGE, B.C. (CP)—Victims of a far north storm, an Indian trapper and his son died on a blizzard-swept trail 380 miles north of here, it was learned today. M. Egnall and his boy were frozen to death.

#### New Soviet Minister

MOSCOW (AP)—Decisions of the Supreme Soviet (Parliament) published today disclosed Russia has a new Minister of Justice, appointed, an announcement said, because the old one "did not deal with his work." N. M. Ruchkov was supplanted in the justice post by the former Attorney General, K. P. Gorshenin.

The Associated Press average of 35 such commodities dropped Thursday to a low since Nov. 6. Less than a month ago the index had soared to a record high. Thursday's figure was 197.5 (1926 equals 100) compared with the 1941 high of 95 reached soon after Pearl Harbor.

Experts pondered what the whole movement added up to.

Many saw a basic cause in top-heavy grain prices, swollen out of proportion to supply and demand.

Underlying factors affecting prices have not changed. They include: A huge money supply and a record high national income, the rising level of wages, high taxes, high industrial production, government monetary policies, the foreign aid program.

As one Washington official put it: "One swallow does not make a summer."

#### IN CANADA

Winnipeg had a flurry of early buying which died off into dull trading. Winnipeg has no wheat futures trading, but rye lost its 10-cent limit and oats and barley also were off.

In Toronto industrialists continued to lower levels in light trading. Golds showed little change, but base metals and western oils were lower. In Montreal also industrialists were fractionally lower in moderate trading.

Canadian Press dispatches reported London as reflecting New York's weakness with sharp declines, particularly in oils. Golds showed best resistance.

### Edmonton Flier Sets New Record At 100 Kilometres

MORETON VALENCE, Gloucestershire, Eng. (Reuter)—Canadian-born Squadron Leader Bill Waterton this afternoon broke the air speed record he had set up earlier in the day for 100-kilometre closed circuit flight with a new speed of 542.9 miles an hour. The record is subject to confirmation by the International Aeronautical Federation in Paris.

Waterton, a native of Edmonton, Alta., went around the circuit this afternoon in six minutes and 52 seconds.

Earlier he had established a record of 515.89 miles an hour around the same circuit.

The previous record was 496.88 miles an hour, set last August by Group Capt. John Cunningham in a De Havilland Vampire jet fighter.

Waterton, chief test pilot of the Gloster Aircraft Company, was flying a Meteor jet-propelled aircraft with two Derwent Mark V engines.

### Thin Ice, No Skating

Despite last night's low temperature of 26 degrees, prospects for skating remained poor today.

While there was a thin covering of ice on part of the Beacon Hill pond this morning, park department officials reported it would stand no weight. Sarnich police reported thin coverings of ice on the edges of some of the larger ponds in their area but said skating was out of the question.

Provincial police say, they have had no reports on conditions at Spectacle Lake during the past 24 hours. Anyone venturing to the Malahat site should use extreme caution, they warned.

The weather forecast for tonight and tomorrow morning is overcast with continuous mixed rain and snow. It is expected to be milder tomorrow afternoon.



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## Market Factors Closely Watched As Commodity Prices Show Decline

By Canadian Press  
The present drop in grain and commodity prices is something like a man taking a cold shower which he thinks will freshen him up, but which he is a little afraid may knock him out.

Everyone says prices must stop going up and most everyone says they should come down. So why the jitters?

Mainly that people are afraid if you reverse a boom you dive into a bust. They remember the last postwar recession. They remember 1929 and are depression-conscious.

It's true that the world economic set-up is a precarious structure and a lot of things are shaking it, but some factors give hope there will be no immediate repeat recession performance.

### HIGHER STANDARDS

One is that not only is there a world demand for goods, but a way is being hammered out to meet it; another is that people in North America have become accustomed to a higher standard of living, which, they hope, has become part of the social fabric and a continuing stimulus to production; and another is that some of the artificial factors of the boom of the 20's are lacking. It is not, for instance, a stock market boom—decidedly otherwise at present low stock prices.

On the other hand, there are things which cause concern. One is that much of the activity in Canada and the United States has been concerned with capital expansion. That is fine if you can sell your goods after you have expanded your capacity to make them, but otherwise it is embarrassing.

Also, much production has

gone into filling inventories, stocks on hand. Once inventories are filled and firms have an abundance to sell, they are sensitive to any drop in public buying. Then there is the fact that much of the activity has been carried out on credit.

Some hold that a moderate recession which wouldn't get out of hand would be the soundest thing that could happen to shake out some unbusinesslike wartime practices. But the first man out of a job because of it won't think it very sound so far as he is concerned.

### BANK'S VIEW

The current monthly letter of the Bank of Nova Scotia, written before the present commodities break, has this description of how a boom may turn sour:

"So long as demands exceed supplies even by small margins there is the general appearance of a shortage. Toward the peak of a boom a comparatively small reduction in demands or increase in supplies may change an apparent condition of shortage into one of surplus which, in turn, may have the effect of suddenly reducing the disposition to make new physical developments and to spend."

Yesterday Chicago grain futures again dropped the limit allowed in a day's trading. Rye futures did the same in Winnipeg, while oats and barley took lesser losses. The New York Stock Exchange had less precipitate drops than on Wednesday and showed some resistance, as did the cotton futures market. Toronto and Montreal continued off, in sympathy with New York.

## Doctors In Britain Vote To Decide For Or Against New National System

LONDON (AP)—The next six months in Britain may be known to history as the time of the "doctors' rebellion."

The issue is whether to take the country's new national health service plan as it stands, or to demand concessions to the doctors' pocketbooks.

A strike vote now is being taken among Britain's 20,500 general practitioners. If two-thirds of the working doctors say they are willing to withhold service from the country-wide health system, the British Medical Association believes it can force Health Minister Aneurin Bevan to meet its terms.

Bevan, a determined Welshman, insists the new health service, overwhelmingly approved by Parliament, begin as scheduled July 5. The law is the realization of a long-time Socialist goal, equal and ample medical treatment for everyone, with no limitations imposed by a thin pocketbook.

### DECLARE FOR FEES

B.M.A. leaders want to abolish the law's guarantee of a basic salary of £300 (\$1,200) a year to every practitioner who joins the health system, and substitute payment only by a fee for each separate patient.

Bevan is that the basis salary makes doctors in the new health service independent by freeing the younger ones from frets about rent and other fixed expenses.

The B.M.A. also is adamant against abolition of a doctor's privilege of selling his practice, usually for around \$20,000, when he retires.

Bevan says he does not want to saddle young doctors with a heavy debt at the beginning of their careers.

The third thing medical officials want is the "right to appeal to the courts" against dismissal of a doctor from public service. They say that "the minister has too much power."

Bevan answers that under the law the health minister cannot dismiss a doctor. That can be done only by recommendation of an executive council and action by an independent tribunal of a doctor, lawyer and layman.

If the ballot turns out as the B.M.A. hopes, less than 8,000 physicians will be willing to operate a health service open to every Briton who needs medical treatment. Ballots are due Feb. 14.

After the law begins to operate, doctors who reconsider may

## Toronto Mayor Hydro's New Chief



ROBERT H. SAUNDERS

TORONTO (CP)—Appointment of Mayor R. H. Saunders of Toronto as chairman of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Power Commission was announced Thursday night, and Mr. Saunders said he would resign the mayoralty before his provincial appointment becomes effective March 1.

Premier Drew of Ontario, in announcing the appointment, said, "I am convinced there is no man in Ontario with higher qualifications" for this extremely important work.

The position of chairman of the big public-owned electric power organization is believed to carry a salary of \$15,000. As mayor of Toronto Mr. Saunders, now serving his fourth term in that post, receives \$10,000.

When Mr. Saunders resigns the post of mayor it will be up to the city council to elect his successor, probably from among the present four-man board of control. Most prominent of the likely appointees is Controller Hiram Emerson McCallum, who has been vice-chairman of the board of control for the past three years.

In this event the city council would appoint an alderman to fill the vacant council seat.

### Name Committee For Mesachie Hall

MESACHIE LAKE—A special meeting was held in the new Community Hall Wednesday evening, called by the Hillcrest Lumber Co. Ltd., for the purpose of electing a committee to govern activities of the new hall.

The following were elected: Mrs. Neil Portenale and Mrs. Carlos Walde, representing the Mesachie Women's Club; Wilber Lee, representing men from the bunkhouses; John B. Webster and Joseph Bohemer representing residents of the village.

J. A. C. Drew, manager of Hillcrest Lumber Co., was chairman, stated that the dining-room in the hall would be completed shortly. The floor will be sanded and marked for badminton and graveled walks will lead from two points to the hall, with street lighting at both points.

### Big Bad Wolf Shot

ZANESVILLE, O. (AP)—Hunters caught up Thursday with the Muskingum County wolf which farmers said had killed 600 sheep in the last two years. The animal was shot by 16-year-old Jack Newcomb after a 25-hour chase by a group of 20 men and their dogs.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

A salvage collection for James Bay, Esquimalt and Gorge. E 3413.

A special reduction in Cold Waves for a limited time only. Phone Maude Edwards of the Esquimalt-Beatty Parlor for further particulars. G 2252.

An ideal birthday gift. A "Sambo Sprinkler." E 6333. B 3311.

Concert by St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Choir, Friday, Feb. 6, at 8.15 p.m. Tickets 35c. Proceeds in aid of Welfare Association.

Chiropractor, W. J. Fraser, D.S.C., 201 Pemberton Bldg. B 3252.

Dr. Glen Simpson and Dr. R. R. Galpin wish to announce the opening of a second office. As from Monday, Feb. 9, 1948, Dr. Galpin will be located at 201 to 204 Bank of Toronto Building, 1405 Douglas Street. Practice limited to infants and children. Telephone: Dr. Glen Simpson, E 7615; Dr. R. R. Galpin, E 3141. If no answer, call the Doctor's Directory, E 1195.

Horseshoe News—Home of Ronson Lighters. Ronson Lighters repaired with genuine Ronson parts. Five day service. 1231 Government Street. E 8125. Join the C.C.F. Write for information, 857 Pandora.

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The Chez Marcel is now open for lunches. A lovely drive out the Island Highway, then lunch in the friendly atmosphere of a real French restaurant. Phone Belmont 91 (closed Monday).

Tombola winners, Esquimalt Community Club benefit tea: Nos. 486, 1231, 1224.

Tyrrell's Shrubbery, two stores now open, 755 Fort St., 748 Yates. Everything in fruit trees, shrubs, roses, etc. E 5915. Delivery.

Twilight recital at First Baptist Church by St. Aidan's United Church Choir Sunday at 3.

## Oleomargarine Battle Coming To Head; Free House Vote Probable

OTTAWA (CP)—A lively discussion among Liberal members of Parliament is shaping up on the oleomargarine question which will break sometime this session in the Commons and Senate. Meanwhile, a legal test of the federal ban against the butter substitute has been postponed, at least temporarily.

A city-versus-country split has developed in the ranks of government supporters over bills sponsored by James Sinclair, Lib., Vancouver, North, in the Commons, and Senator W. D. Euler, Lib., Ontario, in the Senate which would remove the long-standing restriction against the manufacture, sale and importation of the food.

A Liberal caucus Wednesday heard members for agricultural ridings charge the subject was "dynamite" for those counting on the farmer vote. City members said their constituents were entitled to a cheap and wholesome substitute for costly butter and said Canada produced all the ingredients of oleomargarine, chiefly on the farms.

### NON-PARTY VOTE

There are predictions the government will call off the whips and have a free vote, an expression of individual opinion, when the Sinclair bill comes up. At the same time, there is speculation about the effect of the Geneva trade agreements, which prevent Canada from barring any import and which will come up this session, too.

Hints have come that the government will get around this by slapping such heavy taxes on oleomargarine that the cost would be prohibitive, a suggestion which brings rejoinders that if all countries acted that way the Geneva agreements would become farcical.

Suggestions have been made that Senator Euler would back his bill—similar to one defeated in both the last two sessions—until the Commons took a stand one way or the other. He denied this Thursday, saying he would launch his proposal sometime this month.

Meanwhile, Senator Euler's plan to test the federal ban in the courts has been put aside for the time being. He and the late Senator J. J. Bench were in the midst of preparations to start manufacturing the product on a small scale as a prelude to the court test when Senator Bench died.

### PROVINCIAL RIGHTS

Their argument was based on the contention that the restriction violated provincial constitutional rights. If the outcome of this session is unsatisfactory, the action may be revived.

One interesting angle in the situation is the fact that the government, in its proposals to Newfoundland for confederation, agreed to allow it to continue the manufacture of oleomargarine even though the ban would continue in other provinces. Simultaneously, it barred province-to-province trade in the commodity despite constitutional stipulations that such trade should be unhindered.

SHOW AT WASHINGTON  
WASHINGTON (AP)—Representative Reid Murray (Rep., Wis.) is planning another act in the House of Representatives

show revolving around the fight to repeal taxes on oleomargarine in the United States.

The oleo-versus-butter controversy, in which Murray is on the butter side, had two episodes this week.

Murray took a miniature plastic cow, "Rebecca," into the House while making a speech backing the dairy industry.

That same day Rep. Edward Mitchell (Rep., Ind.) busily mixed coloring matter into oleomargarine for a luncheon for a group seeking repeal of the taxes.

## Weather

Weather today and tomorrow, valid until midnight Feb. 7:

Clear skies and cold polar air combined last night to bring sub zero temperatures to all of the interior. The Kootenays and the Cariboo reported as much as 20 below zero. Along the coast Comox with 13 above was the coldest spot.

Relief from the cold wave appears to be in sight as a storm is moving in rapidly from the Gulf of Alaska. Mixed rain and snow with strong southerly winds will strike the northern coast by midnight and spread to Vancouver Island and the lower mainland tonight.

Vancouver and vicinity lower Fraser Valley, Strait of Georgia, Victoria and vicinity—Clear becoming overcast during afternoon. Continuous mixed rain and snow commencing by evening and lasting until Saturday morning. Cloudy Saturday afternoon. Light winds increasing to southeast 30 tonight and shifting to northerly 20 tomorrow afternoon. Milder.

West coast Vancouver Island—Clear becoming overcast during afternoon. Continuous rain to night. Cloudy with rain showers Saturday. Light southeast winds increasing to southeast 30 by evening and shifting to northwesterly 30 tonight. Milder.

	To 9 a.m. Today	Min.	Max.	Precip.
Montréal	-2	13		
Toronto	-12	14		
North Bay	10	16	84	
Port Arthur	-7	19	Trace	
Kenosha	-16	5		
Winnipeg	-22	4		
Brandon	-30	-1		
The Pas	-2	1		
Regina	-23	-4	Trace	
Saskatoon	-23	-2	Trace	
Prince Albert	-17	0		
N. Battleford	-13	-3		
Swift Current	-30	-3		
Medicine Hat	-17	3		
Calgary	-17	3		
Edmonton	-10	1	Trace	
Kamloops	-7	18		
Penticton	-4	4		
Vancouver	19	41		
Victoria	26	36		
Cranbrook	19	17		
Crescent Valley	-3	26		
Prince Rupert	20	27		
Prince George	-11	11		
Seattle	24	30		
Portland	26	37		
Spokane	7	23		
Chicago	6	26		
San Francisco	39	48	35	
Los Angeles	40	52	76	

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#### Tonight's Highlights

6.00—Light Up and Listen  
6.30—The Adventures of Ozzy and Harriet  
7.00—Flight Broadcast  
8.00—Wayne King Show  
9.00—The Old Song  
9.30—Club Fifteen

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## Lawn Bowling Clubs To Provide Own Finances

Special grants will not be given the lawn bowling clubs this year by the city parks committee, Ald. M. Aubrey Kent, parks chairman, said today following a committee meeting.

Delegations from the lawn bowling clubs which operate in Beacon Hill Park and Victoria West were received at the meeting. Both clubs will be given a grant toward the upkeep of their greens, \$500 for the Victoria Lawn Bowling Club, and \$400 for the Victoria West club, Ald. Kent said.

In addition city workmen will be provided for work on the Beacon Hill greens, to be paid for by the club.

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## Shipping News

## Ss. Laurentia Breaking Record For Donaldson Line; Due Sunday

A record run, chopping a week off the time for Donaldson Line vessels on the United Kingdom-B.C. service, is being established by the 17-knot freighter Laurentia, scheduled to berth at Ogden Point docks Sunday morning on her first voyage to this coast, R. N. B. Cumberland, shipping agent for Rithet Consolidated Ltd., reported today.

The Laurentia, built during the war and previously on the Atlantic service, left Liverpool Jan. 8 and will dock in Victoria exactly one month later. Donaldson Line ships normally take about five weeks to make the voyage. The Laurentia, under command of Capt. R. C. Young, a new comer to the Pacific service, has called at San Francisco and Los Angeles en route.

She is carrying 100 tons of general cargo for Victoria, including 1,000 cases of liquor, structural glass, earthenware, carpets and linoleum. Also aboard are four Vancouver-bound passengers: Miss Catherine Kent, Mrs. Susan Lynas, Charles Ross and John Sheridan.

The Laurentia will sail from Vancouver for the United Kingdom Feb. 24, carrying the four following Victoria passengers: Mrs. C. Drexel, 981 Wilmer Street; Mrs. L. A. Coton, 1209 Lyall Street; Miss A. Cumming, 2575 Lansdown Road, and Miss R. M. L. Lowry, 1811 Crescent Road.

## VICTORIANS PROMOTED

Two Victorians are included in the list of one chief petty officer

and three petty officers of the Royal Canadian Navy who have been promoted to the rank of acting gunners, R.C.N., on completion of a 10-month gunnery training course with the Royal Navy.

They are Acting Gunner R. J. Paul of Victoria and Mirror, Alta., and Acting Gunner D. S. Taylor of Victoria and Scotland. Mr. Paul will return to Canada shortly for leave and further duty in gunnery training centres at Esquimalt and Halifax, after which he will be given a sea-going appointment with active operational units of the R.C.N.

Mr. Taylor will remain overseas to commission the new aircraft carrier H.M.C.S. Magnificent, and will return to Canada with her early in the summer.

## LARSEN TO LEAVE FOR SHIP IN APRIL

R.C.M.P. Inspector H. A. Larsen of Victoria is expected to leave here to rejoin his command, the patrol ship St. Roch, in April. He arrived home Christmas Eve from his ship which was frozen in near Herschel Island, off the mouth of the Mackenzie River.

At present St. Roch has only four crewmen aboard, but additional R.C.M.P. personnel will be sent to her when the time comes to sail again.

The inspector has not yet received his Ottawa orders for future movements of St. Roch but he says the vessel may remain in the north for another winter yet.

## Union Asks Subsidy For Line Ling Cod Fishermen In Gulf

A resolution requesting the Dominion government Fisheries Prices Support Board to take action in subsidizing the line ling cod fisheries in the Gulf of Georgia area was passed at the monthly meeting of the Victoria local of the United Fishermen and Allied Workers' Union Thursday night, Elgin Neish, union president, reported today.

The union claims line ling cod fisheries in the gulf are suffering undue competition from the ling cod landings of the otter trawl and long-line sections of the fishing industry.

The meeting endorsed efforts of the Sidney local of the union to have Roberts Bay chosen as the site for the proposed \$330,000 breakwater now under Dominion government consideration. Telegrams will be sent the Minister of Transport and R. W. Mayhew, Victoria M.P., claiming Roberts Bay offers the better shelter of a natural harbor, rather than the more exposed Sidney site.

The meeting was unanimous in its endorsement of Colin Cameron, C.C.F. candidate in the forthcoming Sanich by-election "due to his being the only candidate in the field who is opposed to Bill 39." The union secretary was instructed to circulate union members in the Sanich riding informing them of the union's stand.

The meeting also endorsed the new draft agreement calling for a 30-cent-an-hour increase in wages of shore workers. The increase is felt necessary to compensate for the increase in cost of living which has occurred since the removal of price controls which took place after the signing of the union's 1947-48 price agreements in April, 1947, according to Mr. Neish's report.

Telegrams were sent to Prime Minister King and Mr. Mayhew demanding reinstitution of price controls.

Col. Hoy To Speak On South Africa

"South Africa—Its people and its problems" will be the subject of an address to be given before a joint meeting of the Kiwanis and Canadian clubs of Victoria, Feb. 17, at the Empress Hotel by Col. C. N. Hoy, now touring Canada under the auspices of the South African government.

A native of Orillia, Ont., Col. Hoy received his higher education at Toronto and McGill universities. He enlisted in the army in 1899 and went through the Boer War, remaining in South Africa after peace was declared.

During World War I he was second in command of the Cape Corps Regiment with which he served two years in German East Africa and one year in Palestine under General Allenby. At the war's end he took the post of secretary of the Memorial Settlers Association of the Transvaal, Swaziland and Bechuanaland, and later became advisor on land settlement to the Kenya government.

At the outbreak of World War II Col. Hoy was chosen by Field Marshal J. C. Smuts to reform the Cape Corps. He recruited and trained 25,000 native troops and over 300 officers.

## 'Charlie' Earle Retiring After Serving C.N.R. Here Since 1910

Transportation row in Victoria is about to bid farewell to a well known and esteemed member in the person of Charles F. Earle, district passenger agent, Canadian National Railways, who will retire on Feb. 16 after a railroading career of nearly 46 years.

Engaged in passenger traffic business in Victoria since 1910, he is probably the senior member of the local fraternity. During 38 years in Victoria, the veteran passenger official has met travelers from many countries, scores of whom have benefited through his assistance during their travels in this part of the world.

Mr. Earle has been district passenger agent of the C.N.R. for Victoria and Vancouver Island since 1920. An ardent booster for Victoria, Vancouver Island and B.C. generally, so much so that he has politely declined offers of positions with the C.N.R. elsewhere, with consequent promotion, Mr. Earle has contributed much to the tourist trade here. He is a member of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, the Union Club and Royal Colwood Golf Club.

JOINED RAILWAY 1902

Mr. Earle's railway service started in 1902 at Belleville, Ont., his birthplace. As a young man he obtained employment as office boy in the legal department of the Grand Trunk Railway, a C.N.R. predecessor. His salary was \$10 per month.

In January, 1903, young Earle was transferred to head office, where he worked for W. H. Biggar, K.C., general counsel, whose brilliant legal mind was behind all negotiations that led to the organization of the Grand Trunk Pacific. Mr. Earle says: "Many an hour I spent re-writing paragraphs. I can recall, later, when the Canada Atlantic Railway was purchased, writing one small clause of an agreement over and over until it was phrased to the satisfaction of J. R. Booth, lumber magnate who owned the railway, and Charles M. Hays, then G.T.P. president."

In 1906, Mr. Earle became secretary to M. K. Cowan, K.C., who, among other things, had charge of legal proceedings before the Board of Railway Commissioners. He well remembers frigid experiences on some of those very cold days in Ottawa, also the many arbitration cases following the big Toronto fire when land for the new Union Station was being expropriated.

Like many fellow rail roaders, Mr. Earle eventually heeded the call to go west and, on May 1, 1909, found himself working as secretary to W. P. Hinton on his appointment as general passenger agent of the Grand Trunk Pacific in Winnipeg. At that time rails had not reached Wainwright, Alta.

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June 18, 1910, the G.T.P. opened its office in Victoria, with the late W. E. Duperow in charge. It was then that "Charlie" Earle joined Mr. Duperow as stenographer and assistant city passenger and ticket agent.

"In looking back," said Mr. Earle, "I am sure there was no one in the service more lovable or colorful than the 'Black Prince,' as Mr. Duperow was affectionately nicknamed, because of his dark complexion, black beard, and being an all-round fine fellow. He gave me my early training in ticket work."

Reminiscing further, Mr. Earle says that when he arrived in Victoria it still retained some of the glamour of a miniature Barbary Coast and a nickel was the smallest coin in use. Mr. Earle also recalls those were the colorful days of the last of the old sailing and sailing ships in local waters.

In those days, too, he sometimes would be compelled to accept the toss of a coin to determine whether he or his patron would buy the champagne to seal a bargain after the sale of an Old Country passage or long-haul rail ticket. This, he says, meant a trip over to the old Empress Hotel bar which then extended half the length of the hotel and was more of a club than a bar.

"With the Canadian National's new Ss. Prince George being groomed in a Victoria shipyard for the company's Pacific coast service this summer, I am sure our present staff couldn't be more proud of her than we were in 1910 when the original Prince George arrived on the coast," concluded Mr. Earle. "She was a hospital ship during the early days of the First World War and I vividly remember the excitement ashore when we heard that the German cruiser Leipzig was in the same locality off the northern American coast as the Prince George."

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## **SWORD OF DAMOCLES**

THE WORLD'S TWO GREATEST WARS, like many others which preceded them in history, were touched off by relatively minor incidents. Whether unpremeditated, like the revolver shot at Sarajevo, or deliberately contrived, like Hitler's protests against the Danzig Corridor or "persecution" of German minorities, these incidents were the sparks that ignited the huge supply of inflammable material which had accumulated throughout the globe. They were the trigger releases which set off explosions that were completely out of proportion to the originating impulse. But the supply of political and economic gunpowder had to be present before the result could be produced.

A threatening situation has arisen today which parallels the "gunpowder" analogy of former years. Two great forces, Eastern Communism and Western Democracy, are opposed on a world front. That state of opposition has been termed a "cold war," but it could conceivably be sparked into hot flame by some incident that provided the mechanism. True, it may be taken for granted that no country in the world, no matter on which side of the "Iron Curtain" it may be, wants war today. But no country wanted war in 1939—only a handful of power-mad demagogues who had tasted local omnipotence and were driven to satisfy increasing appetites. The mere desire of the people of the world for peace, therefore, is no guarantee that they will be permitted to enjoy it.

The announcement today that the Greek Navy has been ordered to attack and sink all unidentified submarines in Greek territorial waters may appear at first glance to be a minor reflection of the general Balkan turmoil. But the possibilities inherent in the sinking of a foreign submarine by Greece pose a much larger threat. The fighting in Greece so far has been kept within the diplomatic bounds of an "insurance" policy, whether or not the Communist rebels are receiving help from nearby states. But it is not likely the mountain fighters could prove ownership of a submarine, and the stark fact remains that a naval clash in Greek waters such as is made possible by the order from Athens could broaden the Greek "rebellion" into an international conflict. Here is a situation where prevention will be many times more efficacious than subsequent attempts to cure. The portents would seem to be sufficient to warrant strong United Nations action now to make world peace secure.

## **VIGILANCE NECESSARY**

THERE IS A HUMAN URGE TO POWER which makes it almost impossible for a man to resist temptation when once he has the opportunity to exert outside control over the gathering or dissemination of news. In a totalitarian state, of course, such a move is a definite and important part of the ambitious leader's program, whether he be Fuehrer, Duce, Generalissimo or Chief Commissar. But the manifestation is not confined to the authoritarian system. Even in the democracies, when temporary emergencies such as war make some censorship or news control feasible, the press on the one hand and the appointed censors or controllers on the other, must be vigilant to see that restriction is kept to a minimum and removed immediately the specific need has ceased to exist. Freedom of the press to gather, handle, interpret and distribute news is too important and valuable a part of the democratic system to permit it to be infringed or fettered in any way.

The "powers that be" do not like criticism. Throughout history, they, like their fellow men in humbler stations, have found it distasteful, and they have usually taken the very human step of silencing it where possible. Even those who are most ardent in their support of democracy and freedom are liable to succumb to the desire to control the newsman, and hence the source of possible criticism. And this trait may often be disguised, even from those who exercise it, where prohibition of criticism becomes temporarily intermingled with preservation of the public welfare. In such a class, for instance, might come "military secrets." In wartime, criticism of a public figure or military leader would be banned if it were thought likely at the same time to give information or help to the enemy. But in peacetime there can rarely be an excuse for the exercise of such powers.

The point comes up in references to the current regulation of newsmen in Japan. In that country, continuing under occupation authority, conditions may still be described as emergent. The officials in charge may therefore have good and sufficient reason for imposing such restrictions as they see fit, in particular the recent orders which make it difficult for news correspondents to return to the Tokyo area if they once leave on news-gathering trips. There have been complaints among the American and other reporters concerned that the move was directed at newsmen who have sent back to their papers articles criticizing General MacArthur or phases of his administration.

The office copy of one official rejection of a request for facilities to travel outside the Tokyo area, it is said, had clipped to it a copy of an article by the applicant which had criticized the occupation chief. Whatever may be the reasons for news regulation in occupied Japan, they indicate the basic truth that in such controls lie serious dangers. Controls must be watched whenever they are applied, and removed as soon as possible.

## **COMMON SENSE AND HEALTH**

IN THIS AGE OF WIDER DISSEMINATION of rudimentary information on health practice, it should be unnecessary to remind the public of the simple rules its members should observe to keep themselves fit. The average individual understands the necessity of sane diet, avoidance of excesses of all types, and the desirability of getting the proper amount of sleep at the right time. These are commonsense dictates which all should follow. To them could be added dozens more that are practical and of proven virtue.

Unfortunately, humanity with its penchant for the irrational, honors these precepts almost as much in the breach as in the observance. And when the businessman, having disregarded almost all of them, falls prey to any of the multitudinous ills to which an over-worked system is subject, he calls his doctor, receives his prescription and then struggles toward restored health so that he can start to ignore the rules again.

It is doubtful if any but the expensive advice of a physician will be followed to avoid or cure these self-induced ailments. The Health League of Canada, however, proceeds in its countless course of providing the warnings. This week, through many media, it has drawn attention to the precautions which can be taken to avoid illnesses of various types. We hope that some of the information it has given out will be heeded. If it has been, at least some of the economic loss arising from unwise living will have been avoided. And even the cynic will admit that while adults may have been sparing in the acceptance of that advice for their own protection, some value will accrue from the observance of health week in the precautions which parents may have been induced to take on behalf of their children.

## **GRAND-SLAM!**

CANADA'S REIGNING WINTER sports queen, attractive Barbara Ann Scott, has added the brightest of jewels to her crown today with victory in the Olympic women's figure skating competition. However, her achievement has aroused question over her plans for the future. Nineteen-year-old Miss Scott has stated "I think I want to stay amateur. I want to learn to cook." Her mother has declared that "We have no such (professional) aspirations."

It seems to us the point is immaterial to the public. If the Ottawa girl wishes to capitalize now, or at some future date, on her unquestioned supremacy in her particular sport, it is a matter for her to decide. She already has made her contribution to Canada in winning the prized laurels, the last and highest in the grand-slam she has scored.

Barbara Ann Scott has a long life ahead of her—a life during which she will not always be the most accomplished performer in her particular field. Canadians, proud of their champion and grateful to her for the distinction she has brought the Dominion, will hope that so bright a star will continue to shine above the clouds of dissension and enjoy the rewards which are most gratifying to her.

## **NEW VOICES**

A MAJOR TRIUMPH FOR FEMINISTS, unnoticed by the world at large, was won in Calgary last Saturday when the Council of the Indian Association of Alberta voted to give squaws an equal voice in the affairs of the tribes. One of the few remaining strongholds on this continent where the men could run the show without interference from the distaff side, the tribes at last gave in to the petticoat pressure of modern times. They have asked that the federal Indian Act be amended to permit women to vote in the election of chiefs and councillors and in other tribal affairs.

Countless savage Indian forebears must have turned restlessly in their graves as the 25 chiefs of the Alberta tribes passed the recommendation. The lot of women in the early days of the North American Indian was not a happy one. Held as little more than a chattel, with a social priority not much higher than that of a beast of burden, she did the menial work of the camps and carried the loads for the warrior when the tribe was on the march. Indian history contains the names of few women, and they figure mainly in the romances of the younger members of the community. The role of woman as an advisor or fellow-councillor was non-existent. But that has now been changed in Alberta. For good or ill, the ladies will have their say.

## **NOTES**

Vanity makes some people dress up. But others do it, when they call on great men or go to church, in order to show their respect.

Still, if some products were as miraculous as magazine ads claim, publicity wouldn't be necessary. People would fight for the stuff, anyway.

# **Walter Lippmann**

## **REFLECTIONS ON GANDHI**

IN THE LIFE and death of Mahatma Gandhi we have seen reenacted in our time the supreme drama of humanity. Gandhi was a political leader and he was a seer, and perhaps never before on so grand a scale has anyone sought to shape the course of events in the world as it is by the example of a spirit which was not of the world as it is.

Gandhi was, as St. Paul said, transformed in the renewing of his mind, he was not "conformed to this world." Yet he sought to govern turbulent masses of men who were still very much conformed to this world, and have not been transformed. He died by violence as he was staking his life in order to set the example of non-violence.

THUS HE POSED again the perennial question of how the insight of the seers and saints is related to the work of legislators, rulers, and statesmen. That they are in conflict is only too plain, and yet it is impossible to admit, as Gandhi refused to admit, that the conflict can never be resolved. For it is necessary to govern mankind and it is necessary to transform men.

Perhaps we may say that the insight of the governors of men is, as it were, horizontal: They act in the present, with men as they are, with the knowledge they possess, with what they can now understand, with the mixture of their passions, and desires and instincts. They must work with concrete and with the plainly and generally intelligible things.

THE INSIGHT of the seers, on the contrary, is vertical: They deal, however wide their appeal, with each person potentially, as he might be transformed, renewed, and regenerated. And because they appeal to experience which men have not yet had, with things that are not at hand and are out of their immediate reach, with the invisible and the unattained, they speak and act, as Gandhi did, obscurely, appealing to the imagination by symbolic evocation and subtle example.

The ideals of human life which the seers teach—non-resistance, humility, and poverty and chastity—have never been and can never be the laws of a secular society. Chastity, consistently and habitually observed, would annihilate it. Poverty, if universally pursued, would plunge it into misery and disease. Humility and non-resistance, if they were the rule, would mean the triumph of predatory force.

IS IT POSSIBLE that the greatest seers and teachers did not know this, and that what they enjoined upon men was a kind of suicide and self-annihilation? Obviously not. Their wisdom was not naïve, and it can be understood if we approach it not as rules of conduct but as an insight into the economy and the order and the quality of the passions.

At the summit of their wisdom what they teach is, I think, not how in the practical issues of daily life men in society can and should behave, but to what ultimate values they should give their allegiance. Thus the injunction to render unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's is not a definite political principle which can be applied to define the relation of Church and State. It is an injunction as to where men shall have their ultimate obligations, that in rendering to Caesar the things that are Caesar's, they should not give to Caesar their ultimate loyalty, but should reserve it.

IN THE SAME manner to have humility is to have in the last reaches of conviction, a saving doubt. To embrace poverty is to be without possessiveness and a total attachment to things and to honors. To be non-resistant is to be at last non-competitive.

What the seer points toward is best described in the language of St. Paul as the creation of the new man. "And that ye put on the new man, which after God is created in righteousness and true holiness." What is this new man? He is the man who has been renewed and is "no longer under a schoolmaster," whose passions have been altered, as Gandhi sought to alter the passions of his countrymen, so that they need no discipline from without because they have been transformed from within.

SUCH REGENERATED MEN can, as Confucius said, follow what their hearts desire without transgressing what is right. They are "Led of the spirit," in the Pauline language, and therefore they "are not under the law."

It is not for such men as these that governments are instituted and laws enacted and enforced. These are for the old Adam. It is for the aggressive, possessive, carnal appetites of the old Adam that there are punishments and rewards for his violence—a superior force.

It is only for the regenerate man, whose passions have been transformed, that the discipline of the law and of power are no longer needed, nor any incentive or reward beyond the exquisite and exhilarating wholeness and unity and freedom of his own passions.

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# **Quoting**

Maturity is arrested here; there is no need for it. She has all the pleasures of adult independence but none of its responsibilities.—Philip Wylie, well-known author, stating his views on what is wrong with college for women.

## **Anxiety Corridor**



# **Beating The Communist Drum**

By R. J. DEACHMAN

THE Canadian Tribune, once a daily, now a weekly, keeps on pushing its Communist propaganda in the good old City of Toronto.

The editor must appreciate the advantages of living in a free country. I wonder what would happen if, for instance, the editors of The Financial Post, a very reputable business publication, decided to open an office in the City of Moscow and publish a capitalist paper.

Of course it would never see the light of day.—The editors would be picked up and spirited away. Why is it that we don't interfere with the expression of these Communist opinions, when there would be short shrift with ours if we aired them in Moscow?

## **INDIFFERENCE**

The fact is that we are largely indifferent to them. We know the facts. It is no reflection on Russia to point out that it lacks our capacity to produce. Russia was backward under the Czars—it is still backward. In the United States today the national income is approximately \$1,250 per cent of population. In Russia it is just about 30 per cent of that level. In Canada it is slightly under \$1,000 per unit of population. No possible valuation of free services provided in Russia can bring the level of Russian production to that of Canada or the United States. It is impossible under their system. Russia does not want the outside world to know the inside of

Russia. In Canada and the United States we have nothing to hide.

The Tribune claims that wages in Russia compare favorably with those in Canada or the United States and that prices of food and clothing are not fantastically higher. It goes on to say that in America it is difficult to get an apartment for less than \$50 a month, in Russia one can be obtained for 100 or 110 roubles, or 3 or 4 per cent of the family income. Note the words "family income"—in Russia everybody works.

## **ANALYSIS**

Let us look at that a moment. Few Russian workers earn more than 900 roubles per month, the average is closer to 500 roubles. On that basis the Russian family must earn 2,600 roubles per month. There must be big families, in Russia, all working! In fact he mentions two families which have as much.

The housing of the working class is not good. Consider this, it comes from an article in Harper's Magazine and was written by John Fischer. It appeared in the September, 1946, issue:

"If you really want to know how a typical Ukrainian family lives, pick the smallest room in your house or apartment and move your wife and children into it. Then pack in the beds, spare clothes, and furniture which you regard as absolutely indispensable. Knock off a few chunks

of plaster and most of the paint, to simulate the effect of 15 years of under-maintenance. Scrap the radiators and cooking range, and substitute for both a brick stove which seldom raises the winter temperature much above freezing. Break off the hot-water tap in the bathroom; which you will share with several other families. Finally, invite your widowed Cousin Sophie and her four youngsters to move in with you for an indefinite period. If things seem a little cramped, console yourself by reflecting that you are still better off than many Russians. I've known cases of four Ukrainian families sharing a single room."

## **DESERVING SYMPATHY**

No one could fail to feel sympathy for the Russian people. It is tragic that they fail to meet us on even terms. Communism makes no approach to realism. The Communist can never be factual. Nothing, to him, is ever proved, unless it supports the idea that Communism is the pathway to Heaven and Capitalism the descent into Avernus.

The progress of Russia would be infinitely greater if it cooperated with other European countries and took a real part in the work of the United Nations. It should look outward as well as inward for the springs of progress. A united world will lift the standards of humanity—division leads only to disaster and despair.

# **Global Survey**

By DEWITT MACKENZIE  
Associated Press News Analyst

IT WOULD BE strange if pure coincidence accounted for the way Greece, Turkey and Iran are sticking out their chests simultaneously to Russia, with apparent encouragement from the United States.

These are three areas which Russia seeks to dominate to make herself a Mediterranean power and gain control of the Middle East—a matter of moment to both Britain and the United States. Moscow's ambition is a treasure chest which could best be opened with this trio of keys.

## **DARDANELLES**

First the Soviet Union wants control of the Dardanelles Strait (now under Turkey) to give her access to the Mediterranean from the land-locked Black Sea. From the military standpoint the Dardanelles is one of the most important strategic waterways in the world.

Greece fits into the picture mainly because she guards the flank of the Dardanelles, although there also are political considerations. Iran, which adjoins Russia, not only is possessed of rich oil fields but gives access to the Persian Gulf and is a mighty buttress on the Oriental side of the Middle East.

What has happened in the last couple of days is this:

Foreign Minister Neomeddin Sadak of Turkey has declared that his country intends to stand firm against all Russian demands. Turkey recalled her ambassador from Moscow in retaliation for Russia's withdrawal of the Soviet envoy to Turkey, though the action doesn't mean a break of diplomatic relations.

## **AIRFIELDS**

In Greece it was said that airfields were being strengthened with anti-aircraft guns and searchlights, and the United States was said to have delivered a number of reconnaissance planes to bolster the Greek air force. This, of course, is to aid Greece in her fight against Communist-led guerrillas.

In Tehran Premier Ibrahim Nakimi al Molli has rejected a Soviet protest about American activities in Iran as "absolutely baseless and void of truth." The Russians had charged that the actions of a U.S. military mission in Iran constituted a threat to the Russian border—a charge which Ambassador George V. Allen of the United States characterized as "an improper interference in the internal affairs of Iran." Furthermore, the Tehran government has accused Russia of giving refuge to Iranian rebels.

**CLIPPED at RANDOM**

## **STILL GREEN**

Montreal Star  
An Arab was being taken in a car across a very bumpy section of desert. So bad was the going that at last the car overturned and the Arab was thrown out. Instead of turning in wrath on his driver, he picked himself up and apologized profusely.  
"I've not learned to ride one of these things yet."

## **WITH RENEWED VIGOR** Financial Post

We cannot afford to put so many of our export eggs in one basket. Instead of trying to patch up and continue a system that we adopted only as a wartime expedient we should be out searching for new business, for new outlets for our farm and other surpluses. And in that search we would be well advised to let private initiative take the lead. It was private individual exporters who found and opened our new markets prior to the war. It is on them and not government bulk deals, that we must depend for permanent new outlets in the days ahead.

## **SERVICE**

Australian News Letter  
When Mr. A. G. Rowe, a Tasmanian garage proprietor, was called out in the middle of an icy night last winter to serve petrol, he went back to bed with bitter thoughts about night motorists.

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# **As Our Readers See It**

## **BOOKS FOR GERMANY**

With reference to the appeal for books to Germany it is not indicated by the committee in charge how the German people are going to read books printed in the English language. Translation difficulties would be insurmountable at present.

It is suggested that the many interested in the intellectual crisis in Germany read Melvin J. Lasky's letter from Berlin to the editors of Partisan Review for Jan. 1948 (which periodical may be available in the public library) in which he states: "The situation" (in regard to literature) "is impossible, but for now unalterable. Part of all this is due to physical factors issuing out of

the post-Nazi breakdown—the shortage of paper, the destruction of printing machines, the transportation crisis."

KATHLEEN M. ASH,  
66 Dunford Road, Langford.  
Editor's Note: The writer of the above may be suggesting that the German recipients of these books will ask: "Warum nicht ein Woerterbuch?"

## **ONE WHO KNEW HIM**

"Will you please permit me, through your columns, to pay a humble tribute to a great Saint—"The Mahatma"—Mohandas Gandhi.

It was a privilege to have a heart-to-heart talk with him while he munched grapes and drank goat's milk, clad in his homespun loincloth on a roof garden of a social settlement in the east end of London, England. We spoke about many things, but chiefly about war. I shall never forget his earnest words, "I believe in no kind of bloodletting."

As one studies his strange but selfless life, we are reminded that "The old order changeth, yielding place to new, and God fulfills Himself in many ways, least one good custom should corrupt the world," which is a poetic translation of the words of Saint Paul. "There are diversity of operation, but one God working all and in all."

Perhaps it is correct to say that no other man spent one

whole day in each week alone with the unseen. He would allow no one to interfere with his day of communion. He was a real Communist, for he believed in "the communion of saints."

He endured as "seeing Him who is invisible."

We talked about our common Christian faith and the immortal hymns he rejoiced to sing. The remembrance of such saints as he encourages us to still believe, in spite of the world's welter, that "The Lord Reigneth, let the earth rejoice."

(Rev.) R. ERNEST LITTLE,  
Religious Press Representative  
for all the International Conferences.  
Johnson's Cottage, Deep Cove.

No Idle Meaning

London (Ont.) Free Press  
In these trying days when a new ideology, backed with all the power of Russia and its satellites, is threatening our whole way of life and our civilization, it is more necessary than ever for the British Commonwealth of Nations to stand together. Our safety depends upon this British alliance and unity of strength. The rallying point of the Empire is the Crown. It is the common kingship which holds it together. God Save the King is no idle patriotic song—it has real meaning today.

Incorrect Assumption

Ottawa Journal  
All of us need a great deal more education about foreign affairs, and also about domestic affairs. We all talk about the wisdom of public opinion and about the "sovereign man." Well, perhaps before talking that way we had better give thought to what was once said by the late Sir Edward Grey:

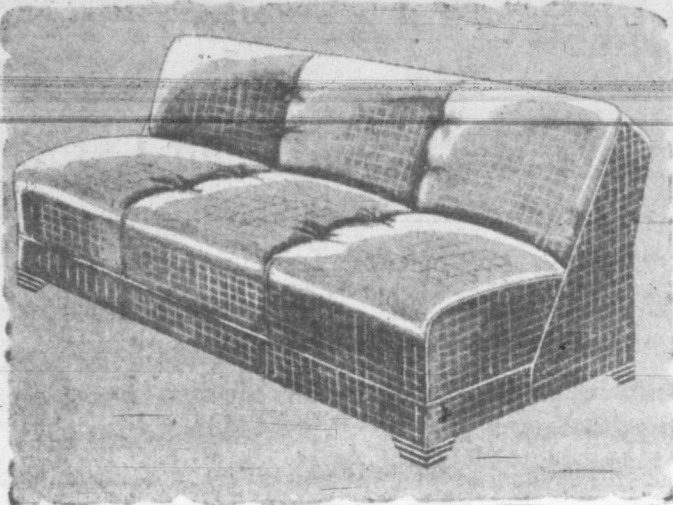
"Most mistakes made by governments are due to their assumption that the public is a great statesman, when the fact, as all experience teaches, is that the public isn't a great statesman at all."

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# Notable Values For Saturday In Spencer's February House Furnishings Sale



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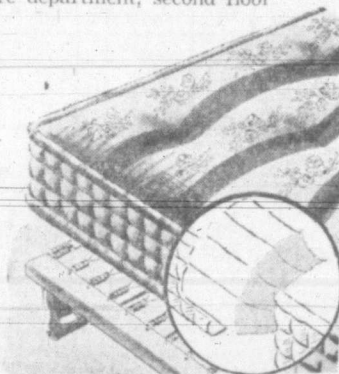
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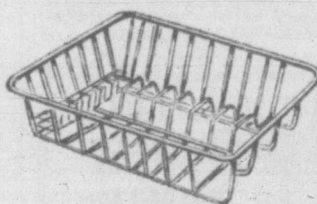
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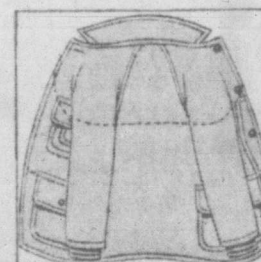
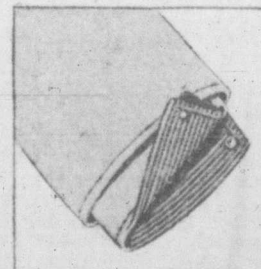
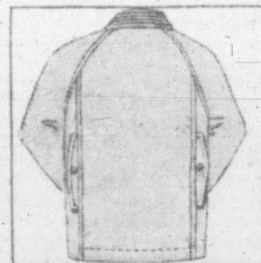


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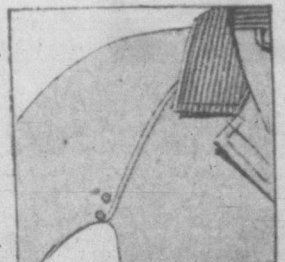
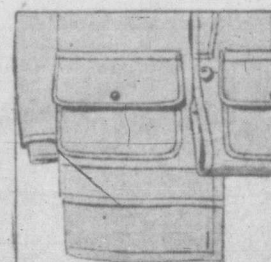
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## Traffic Accidents Claimed 196 Lives In B.C. During 1947

Death stalked B.C. highways during 1947 with an appalling and unprecedented vigor.

Preliminary statistics prepared by the motor vehicle office, with headquarters here, showed today that motor vehicles claimed the lives of no less than 196 persons in British Columbia during the year.

This total, yet to be confirmed by late reports from some parts of the province, represents a 33 1/2 per cent increase over the previous all-time record annual traffic death toll. The previous record was recorded in 1946 with 147 deaths.

Statistics are not yet available on the number of accidents, number of persons injured and the value of property damaged in motor vehicle accidents, but it is believed from monthly figures issued earlier that these totals will also be at all-time highs for 1947.

The death toll means that one person is killed on B.C. highways and streets more frequently than every two days.

To curb the alarming increase in motor vehicle accidents has been a problem faced by police and motor vehicle officials since the end of the war. The increase in the death rate has been far greater than the rate for the increase of motor vehicles.

Expected to help in cutting the toll is the highway responsibility plan being put into effect March 1. It is expected to help remove dangerous drivers from the roads.

## Today's Crossword Puzzle

**HORIZONTAL**

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## CONDENSED Cream of Celery Soup

### RECIPE

#### CURRIED VEAL STEAK

Dredge portions of 1 lb. veal steak cut into six pieces, with 1/2 cup flour. Sprinkle with 1 teaspoon salt, a dash of pepper and 1/2 teaspoon curry powder. Brown quickly in frying pan with 2 tablespoons fat. Add 1/2 cup water; cover and allow to simmer for 15 minutes. Combine 1 cup water and 1 10-oz. can Heinz Condensed Cream of Celery Soup and pour over meat. Cover, and continue simmering, stirring occasionally, for about 30 minutes or until meat is tender and gravy is thick. Remove the meat from the gravy and place around a plate of cooked rice. Serve gravy separately. Serves 4 to 6.

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LEGS OF LAMB, per lb.	53¢	SIRLOIN ROAST, per lb.	49¢
SHOULDER OF LAMB, per lb.	35¢	T-BONE ROAST, per lb.	49¢
<b>PORK</b>		WING ROAST, per lb.	49¢
LEGS OF PORK, per lb.	49¢	RUMP ROAST, per lb.	48¢
SHOULDER OF PORK, per lb.	45¢	PRIME INSIDE, (Boneless), per lb.	49¢
LOINS OF PORK, per lb.	53¢	PORTERHOUSE, Full Tenderloin, per lb.	53¢
<b>Chops and Steaks</b>		ROAST, per lb.	38¢
LAMB CHOPS, per lb.	55¢	BRISKET, boneless, rolled roast, per lb.	32¢
PORK CHOPS, per lb.	53¢	CROSS RIB ROAST, per lb.	35¢
T-BONE STEAK, per lb.	49¢	<b>EXTRA SPECIAL</b>	
SIRLOIN STEAK, per lb.	49¢	LOCAL MILK-FED, G.A. ROASTING CHICKENS, 5-6 lbs., per lb.	40¢
ROUND STEAK, per lb.	45¢	LOCAL MILK-FED SELECTED CAPONS, 5-7 lbs., per lb.	48¢
PORTERHOUSE STEAK, per lb.	53¢	G.A. BOILING FOWL, 5-6 lbs., per lb.	33¢
WING STEAK, per lb.	49¢	<b>EXTRA SPECIAL</b>	
GROUND MINCED MEAT, per lb.	45¢	SWITZER'S FROSTED GREEN PEAS, per pkg.	22¢
HAMBURGER (Lean), per lb.	25¢	SWITZER'S FROSTED BOYSENBERRIES, per hallock.	28¢
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## Hospitals Receive Cheques



Len Hobbs, chairman of the board of directors of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, left, and Dr. J. L. Murray Anderson, newly-appointed superintendent, accept a cheque for \$800 from the Rotary Club presented by Jeffrey Arnott, club president.

Cheques made out for \$800 were presented to the Royal Jubilee Hospital and St. Joseph's Hospital by Jeffrey Arnott, president of the Victoria Rotary Club, at the club's meeting Thursday. The cheques represented the hospital's share of the money raised by the club through a radio auction held last December. Another cheque, for a similar amount, will be turned over to the directors of the Queen Alexandra Solarium for Crippled Children sometime next week.

Mrs. A. T. Satchwell, president, and Mrs. L. W. Davey, secretary of the Junior Auxiliary to St. Joseph's Hospital, accepted that hospital's cheque while Len Hobbs, chairman of the board of directors of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, and Dr. J. L. Murray Anderson, newly-appointed superintendent, accepted the other.

Keeping track of British Columbia's 185,000 motor cars, trucks, motorcycles and trailers, along with its 250,000 drivers, is a big job for the motor-vehicle office.

This month the office, headquarters of which is located in the old armory building behind the Parliament Buildings, will distribute new license plates to all but a few of the registered automobiles in the province and renew a majority of the drivers' licenses. The job also involves the collecting of more than \$4,000,000 in taxes for the provincial government in one month.

In Victoria the headquarters of the office began filing mail orders for license plates Jan. 2. Feb. 2 it opened its doors to the motoring public. There was a big rush the first day when motorists, wanting low numbers, stormed the issuing windows in force.

Tuesday the demand had slackened off. There has been a steady demand since then and it is likely to continue until the last week of the month, except for possibly an increase in demand at mid-month when some motorists get their pay cheques and buy their licenses.

Extra staff will be put on toward the month-end to handle the heavy demand for license plates and drivers' licenses. To handle the big issue of car license plates and drivers' licenses the motor-vehicle office, a branch of the Attorney-General's department which was formerly under B.C. Police jurisdiction, operates issuing offices in Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster, Chilliwack, Kamloops and Nelson.

In other communities government agents handle the issue, and where there is no government agent the local detachment of the B.C. Police is charged with issuing the licenses. If it is not convenient to get licenses from any of these offices they may be ordered by mail.

About 74 per cent of the issue is handled by the offices of the motor-vehicle branch while the remainder of the licenses are issued by the government agents and the police.

To keep track of the motor vehicles of the province, requires big filing facilities. G. A. Hood, superintendent of motor vehicles, estimates that 1,900,000 documents are filed annually at the head office here in Victoria.

Four-way files are kept on all motor vehicles. If a car is demolished to the extent that the license plates are unreadable or if a car has been found with the license plates changed, the department can usually trace down the original owner, by checking in its file recording engine numbers.

The office also records transfers of all motor vehicles, convictions against drivers, mortgages, and liens against all cars. This year an extra burden is put on the handlers by the return of the second license plates. Reduced to one, placed on the rear of the car during the war when steel supplies were short, the lawful identification of all cars and trucks on March 1 will be two green and white plates, on the front and rear of each auto.

The job of making the plates falls on prisoners in provincial jails.

## Butter Substitute Would Hit Dairymen, Association Finds

"The cost of producing milk throughout Canada has risen enormously due to lifting of ceilings on coarse grains and dairy feeds together with speculation on the grain market," said George W. Malcolm, secretary of the Island Farms Co-operative Association, who has just returned to Victoria after attending the annual meeting of the Dairy Farmers' of Canada at Brockville, Ont.

"Dairy Farmers of Canada, at their meeting, recommended to the Dominion government to amend the Wheat Board Act to establish the board as the sole marketing agent for all other grains as well, in order to control prices. Dairy farmers are still not receiving sufficient returns to cover increasing costs," Mr. Malcolm said. He further reported that the meeting discussed the matter of allowing the manufacture and sale of oleomargarine in Canada, when it was pointed out that there were 400,000 producers of butter in the Dominion and 2,000,000 people dependent on the dairy industry. This large cross-section of the Canadian economy would be seriously affected if a butter substitute was permitted, particularly because the oils for its manufacture could not be produced in this country.

"Under normal conditions Canadian dairy farmers can produce ample butter for domestic consumption and it could be sold at a fair price to everyone," Mr. Malcolm concluded.

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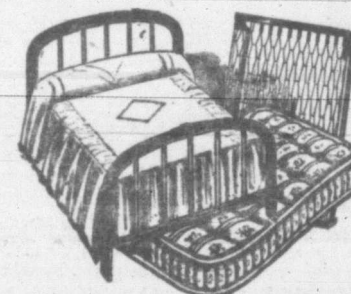
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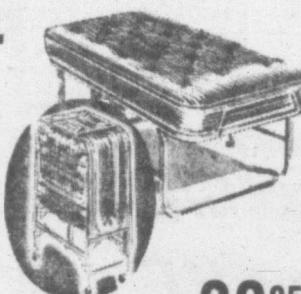
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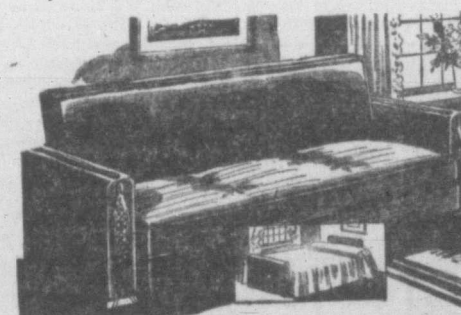
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## Home Of Minister Scene Of Wedding

The home of Rev. G. A. Reynolds, 3412 Maplewood Avenue, was the scene of a wedding last Saturday evening when Pearl June Heyes, fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Samuelson, 1264 Walnut Street, became the bride of Leslie K. Paterson, son of Mrs. M. Paterson, 440 Bay Street, and the late Mr. C. Paterson.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose a grey suit with red hat and accessories for her wedding ensemble. She wore a shoulder-length grey veil and a corsage bouquet of American Beauty roses, white heather and maidenhair fern.

She was attended by her sister, Miss Julia Heyes, who wore a grey suit with black hat and black accessories, and a corsage bouquet of pink carnations, roses and maidenhair fern. Best man was Glen Creighton. Music during the ceremony was provided by Mrs. G. Ford, who sang "I Love You Truly," and Mrs. J. Hooker, who sang "Because."

A reception was held in North Ward Community Hall following the wedding, where Mrs. Samuelson and Mrs. Paterson received guests. Centring the lace-covered bride's table was a three-tier wedding cake flanked by vases of daffodil and maidenhair fern, and long white tapers in silver holders. A toast to the bride was proposed by David Barr.

Mr. and Mrs. Paterson will make their home in Victoria.

**New Member** — Mrs. M. C. Sands was welcomed as a new member at the last meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Y.M.C.A. in the lounge Thursday afternoon. Mrs. E. T. Kenney presided in the absence of president Mrs. W. C. Wells, and reports were read by committees. Mrs. J. Dickson read a letter of appreciation and thanks to members for their help in serving tea during open house week.

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## From Summer To Winter In 19 Days



Mrs. A. Sandiland, left, her daughter, Joyce, and sister-in-law, Mrs. A. Rees-Jones, who arrived in the city last week after leaving hot summer weather of New South Wales to return to the coldest weather Victoria has had this year.

Weather conditions in Victoria being what they are, with icy north winds and even a few snow flurries during the past few days, the sight of a dark sun tan at this time of year is highly unusual.

But Mrs. D. Sandilands and Mrs. A. Rees-Jones, who arrived from Australia only a week ago, both have the dark, tanned "California visitor look" much envied in this part of the world. Their tans were acquired quite recently in Australia.

"We left there in the middle of

summer, and have been trying to get warm ever since we arrived in Victoria," says Mrs. Sandiland.

She is a Victoria girl, who served with the R.C.A.F. (W.D.) during the war, and while in Manitoba met F.L.T. Sandiland of the R.A.A.F. At that time he was instructing at Winnipeg under the Commonwealth Air Training Plan.

They were married in Manitoba, but F.L.T. Sandiland was killed when he went overseas.

Mrs. Sandiland returned to Victoria, where her daughter Joyce was born three and one half years ago.

"I took Joyce to Australia over a year and a half ago because my husband's parents were naturally anxious to meet us. Their two other sons had been killed during the war too."

While there she met Mrs. Rees-Jones, her sister-in-law, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sandiland Sr., whose husband, with the R.A.A.F., was also killed while serving overseas. She has come to Canada for a six-month holiday here.

"Australian people are very interested in Canada," Mrs. Rees-Jones says, "especially since the war."

In comparing the two Dominions, Mrs. Sandiland and Mrs. Rees-Jones agree that conditions are much the same. Food prices are possibly a bit lower, they say, but as far as clothing is concerned prices are about the same.

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"My parents live in Uralia, New South Wales, a small town about 350 miles from Sydney and about 250 miles inland," explains Mrs. Rees-Jones.

Mrs. Sandiland adds that on their return trip by boat, they embarked at Sydney and arrived at San Francisco. "It was a very lovely trip, and quite hot until about four days before we reached home."

Even tiny, fair-haired Joyce enjoyed the trip. "Though she didn't eat very much on the boat," said her mother. There were a number of other children on the trip too, and none of them had very good appetites. "I enjoyed my visit in Australia very much, and hope to return again some day. Everyone was so friendly. But it is good to be home." Mrs. Sandiland and her daughter and Mrs. Rees-Jones are at present staying with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Joyce, 2534 Quadra Street.

## P.T.A. News

**Quadra**—February meeting of Quadra P.T.A. has been canceled owing to the coal situation.

**Oaklands**—A candle-lighting ceremony in observance of Founders' Day was held at the regular meeting of Oaklands P.T.A., with president A. Jacobs in the chair. Mrs. W. Blair, president of Victoria and District P. T. Council, who gave an interesting talk, lit the first candle. Others taking part in the ceremony were Mrs. G. Price, Miss G. Beale, Messrs. N. Forbes, T. Kay, A. Jacobs and McFee. The Founders' Day cake, inscribed "P.T.A. Founders' Day," was cut, and refreshments served by Mrs. D. L. Porteous and committee. A sewing meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Kay Edwards, 2712 Forbes Street, Tuesday, at 7.30.

## Y.P. Societies

**Christ Church**—At the conclusion of the business meeting of Christ Church Cathedral A.Y.P.A. Wednesday evening, with president Audrey Gray in the chair, a music practice was held.

**Metropolitan**—Plans for a Valentine party to be held Tuesday in the church schoolroom were discussed at the regular meeting of Metropolitan Y.P.L. last Tuesday evening.

## Personal Notes

Lieutenant-Governor Charles A. Banks and Mrs. Banks returned to Government House this afternoon from Vancouver, where they spent the past week as guests at Hotel Vancouver, en route to Victoria after a month in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. MacNeil of Winnipeg are spending two months in Victoria and are guests at Swedish Villa, Linden Avenue. Mrs. R. C. McIlbin and her son Donald of Winnipeg are also spending a few weeks at Swedish Villa, where they are visiting Mrs. McIlbin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Ross.

Miss Audrey Shipley and Miss Betty Brundridge entertained at the home of the former yesterday evening with a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Betty Erskine, whose marriage to Mr. Stanley Davidson will take place Valentine's Day. Rooms were decorated in red and white in Valentine theme, and gifts were presented in a Valentine box. The bride-elect and her mother, Mrs. A. Erskine, both received corsage bouquets. Mrs. G. H. Shipley assisted her daughter and Miss Brundridge.

Of interest to many Victorians is the announcement of the recent marriage in Portland, Ore., of Miss Barbara Pooley Labbe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Randolph Pooley, to Mr. Thomas Kerr, son of Mr. Thomas Kerr and the late Mr. Kerr of Portland. The bride will be remembered here as the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. R. Pooley, who lived on Rockland Avenue some years ago in the home now occupied by Mrs. J. W. Benning. The groom has been a frequent visitor in Victoria with his mother who is a member of the Portland Garden Club. The young couple are honeymooning in Honolulu and later will return to Portland to make their home.

## Clubwomen's News

**Drill Team Dance**—At the regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Fraternal Order of Eagles, Sister Lil Jones reported on the progress of the ladies' drill team and announced a dance to be held March 5 at the Eagles' Hall. A St. Patrick's Day tea is also being arranged with Sister Evelyn Cooper as convener. President Amy Sauter was in the chair, and reports from all committees were accepted. Next meeting will be held Feb. 17.

**Officers Elected**—Mrs. J. G. Hannigan, regent, and Mrs. C. P. Deykin, secretary, were unanimously re-elected to these positions by members of Cowichan Chapter, I.O.D.E., at their meeting in Duncan Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Philip Shaw will be treasurer, Mrs. F. Galloway, first vice-regent; Mrs. A. Price, Echoes secretary; Mrs. G. Bryan, standard bearer, and Mrs. E. W. Carr, Hillon, educational secretary. Mrs. A. Evans will be tea convener. A report of the year's activities was given by the regent, and the treasurer's report showed a satisfactory balance. The secretary told of work done and many calls on time and finance. Tea was served by Mrs. Hannigan and Mrs. E. A. Price.

**Moneys Voted**—A sum of \$10 for the rector's discretionary fund and \$8 for repairing the border fence, was voted at a meeting of St. Matthew's Guild, Langford, held at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Jones, Colwood, on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. H. A. Hineks, the president, was in the chair, and arrangements were made to hold the annual Shamrock Tea on March 17 with work, candy and home-cooking stalls. Members agreed to pay half the cost of the new roof for the vicarage. Following business, tea was served by the hostess and transportation for members provided by Mrs. D. B. F. Bullen, Mrs. H. W. McKenzie and Rev. Jones.

**New Members**—Two new members and one transferred member from Edmonton, were received at a meeting of W.B.A. Review, No. 1, at the regular meeting held with Mrs. A. Barraclough in the chair. Plans were made for the annual sale of work and Mrs. M. Stephens was named purchasing convener; Mrs. M. Smith and Mrs. M. Morley, fancy work; Mrs. K. White and Mrs. F. Bailes, children's wear; Miss M. Morris, home cooking. A sewing meeting was arranged for Feb. 23 at the home of Mrs. Morley, 2821 Park View, and it was announced the Pioneers' Club will meet at the home of Mrs. J. Malcolm, 366 Richmond Road. Next meeting will be held on Feb. 16 and will take the form of a Valentine court whist party with prizes and refreshments. Reservations, phone E 0762 or G 3869.

## Gay Parties Precede Spinsters' Ball

Tonight the lasses are entertaining their lads at a gay round of parties prior to the Spinsters' Ball at the Empress Hotel, sponsored by the Junior Auxiliary to St. Joseph's Hospital.

Members of the dance committee will dine in a party at the Empress Hotel in their group will be Mr. and Mrs. J. O'Connor, Mr. and Mrs. Desmond O'Leary, Mr. and Mrs. Don Smythe and Miss Jean Harris.

Miss Lu Ann Armstrong will be hostess at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ruth Armstrong, Linden Avenue. Her guests, Miss Bernice Fawcett, Miss Peggy Parker, Miss Edith Beutelspacher, Mr. Ken Hafanen, Mr. B. Irwin, Mr. Bob Tolson and Mr. Howard Knapp.

Dr. and Mrs. Vincent Smith will be hosts to a party of friends prior to the dance at their home on Beach Drive; Miss Margaret Morry will be a hostess at her Stanley Avenue home, her guests, Miss Iris Vallance and Mr. Daryl Prezeu, Miss Helen Talbot and Mr. Ford Hansen and Mr. Jack Neilson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Rough have invited a group of friends to their Hampshire Road home, including Mr. and Mrs. G. Hynd, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bridges, Miss W. Elliott, Mr. Austin Goward, Miss Naomi Webb, Mr. Jack Emsley, Miss Audrey Joyce and Mr. Gordon Langley.

Miss Muriel Burns will be hostess to Mr. and Mrs. C. Hickman and Mr. J. O'Neill.

Miss Ella Parrish, 119 Cambridge Street, will also entertain, and her guests will be Miss Peggy MacDonald, Miss Bernadette Pollard, Mr. J. Lowry, Mr. V. Morris and Mr. E. Pollard.

## Girl Guide Notes

**Langford**—Miss Dora Stocken, Esquimalt district commissioner, was a guest at the last meeting of Langford Guide and Brownie Association held at the home of Mrs. R. Fraser. Mrs. G. Rantz presided at the meeting and plans were discussed for the Scout-Guide week to be held Feb. 15 to 22. Mrs. D. Eveleigh reported on local Guide work and Mrs. R. P. Williams on Brownie meetings. Orders for cookies for National Cookie Day April 24 are being taken now by the Guides. Arrangements are being made for Guides and Brownies to attend parties in Victoria during Thinking Week.

## Founders' Day Dance

A successful Founders' Day dance was held in the K. of P. Hall on Wednesday by the Victoria and District Parent-Teacher Council. W. C. Hudson, acting as master of ceremonies, introduced Mrs. Wm. Blair, president, who welcomed about 200 members and friends. Among the invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. F. K. English, Sr., inspector of schools, and Mrs. H. Beckwith, Greater Victoria School Board. Special dance numbers by Miss Blace Roskelley, accompanied by Mrs. J. Snell, and solos by RPO, Wm. Bell, H.M.C.S. Naden, accompanied by Mrs. S. H. Darvil, were very much enjoyed. Bert Zala's orchestra was in attendance.

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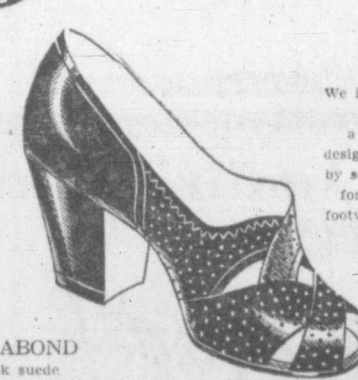
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## Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Pegke, Dencross Terrace, Saanichton, B.C., announce the engagement of their daughter, Eileen Brenda, to Robert Allan Jeffery, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jeffery, Saanichton, B.C. The wedding will take place in the latter part of February.

## Club Calendar

Pro Patria Branch No. 31, W.A. to Canadian Legion, monthly meeting and installation of officers, Tuesday at 7.45, ladies lounge, 625 Courtney Street.

Local Council of Women, Monday at 2, Y.W.C.A.

Evening Branch, St. Saviour's W.A., Monday at 8 at home of Mrs. K. Roach, 1215 Alderman Road.

## Loves Sunday School

IRVINGHOE, Buckinghamshire, England (CP)—Miss Sarah Rogers, 83, still attends the Sunday School she joined when four years old. She was its organist for 50 years.

## W.M.S. Presbyterian Hears Reports, President's Address

C.G.I.T. missionary circle and evening auxiliary delegates to Victoria Presbyterian, Women's Missionary Society, United Church of Canada, gathered with the executive for a supper meeting in First United Church hall, in Thursday evening's session of the 22nd annual meeting, held in Victoria this past three days.

Mrs. D. A. Girvin presided and special guests seated with her at the head table were Dr. and Mrs. H. A. McLeod, Dr. W. G. Wilson, Dr. Frank Hoffman, who spoke at the afternoon session; Mrs. Bertha Parsons, president, Vancouver Island Women's Auxiliaries; Miss Lottie Macrae and Mrs. Simon Fraser.

Miss M. McMillan, reporting for C.G.I.T., announced 13 active groups affiliated with the Presbyterian with a sum of \$65.25 turned in during the year for missionary work. Projects had included the study of India, a mother and daughter banquet and a successful 'teen-age girl's camp.

## REPORTS GIVEN

Missions circle secretary, Mrs. G. L. Gillard said there were six active groups with 65 members and five life members. An amount of \$282.77 had been turned in to Presbyterian. One new circle was formed during the year at Centennial United Church; hospital supplies were made and Christmas gifts distributed.

"Much attention was given at circle meetings to the devotional period," Mrs. Gillard said, "and that is as it should be for as a girl receives proper spiritual training so she is more capable of helping others."

Miss M. Laurie gave a report as candidate adviser, stressing the possibilities of a career for girls in work in home mission fields. "Whatever a girl knows, whatever she wishes to be trained to do, can be used in work of the church," she said.

Others who spoke briefly were Dr. H. A. McLeod, Dr. Frank Hoffman, Mrs. Bertha Parsons and Miss Lottie Macrae. Misses M. and V. Trimble, C.G.I.T. members, sang a duet.

## PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS

Reporting to delegates attending the annual meeting, president Mrs. D. A. Girvin said at an earlier session "we whose lives are consecrated have great responsibilities to all peoples."

"People sometimes quarrel with our way of spending so much on hospitals, schools, agricultural centres and public health centres," she continued, "but I say to you much must still be done in a practical demonstration of love if our gospel of love is to be believed."

Speaking of work done in British Columbia during the past year by the W.M.S., Mrs. Girvin said \$50,000 was spent in community welfare work in cities and rural districts, in day schools, teachers, hospital nursing and medical help for Indians in residential schools run in co-operation with the federal government and on a hospital and doctor serving a tremendous district at Burns Lake, where no other hospital or medical care is to be found.

Work has been done too, among the Japanese of British Columbia, she said, "in their isolation and desperate attempt to eke out a living."

"Among the Chinese in Victoria," Mrs. Girvin added, "we

maintain a home as a Chinese centre, a kindergarten and a missionary whose day begins and ends with Christian service."

"Ninety per cent of money used for this work," Mrs. Girvin said, "is from voluntary contributions."

Mrs. Girvin pointed out that the W.M.S. in Canada "believes in total abstinence as the only wise and safe way to deal with the liquor traffic." They have a strong anti-liquor program of education and persuasion.

"We in British Columbia," she added, "with a matter of some 8,436 members in our groups, are watching with interest the experiment of our provincial government in introducing temperance education in our schools."

Reports heard at the Thursday afternoon session included community friendship, Mrs. A. S. J. Butler; temperance and Christian citizenship, Miss Pearl More; supply, Mrs. G. M. Newell; baby bands, Mrs. E. R. Bevel, and mission bands, Mrs. A. L. McLean. Mrs. M. Goodwin was soloist.

## Mrs. Girvin Again Heads Presbyterian

Mrs. G. A. Girvin was named president of Victoria Presbyterian, Women's Missionary Society, United Church of Canada, for the third successive term, in final session of the 22nd annual meeting this morning at First United Church.

Other officers named were Mrs. W. H. Muncy, past president; Mrs. J. A. McDonnell, first vice-president; Mrs. W. E. Wilson, second vice-president; Mrs. G. H. Guy, third vice-president; Mrs. H. J. Armitage, fourth vice-president; Mrs. Joseph Wong, fifth vice-president; Mrs. W. B. Johnston, recording secretary; Mrs. Ernest MacGinnis, corresponding secretary; Mrs. J. H. Laird, treasurer. Mrs. Simon Fraser was named honorary president.

Committee heads are Mrs. H. J. Cromie, Christian stewardship; Mrs. Breton Varcoe, missionary circles; Miss Marjorie McMillan, C.G.I.T.; Mrs. A. L. McLean, mission bands; Mrs. Harry H. Youson, baby bands; Mrs. A. T. Hunkin, assistant helpers; Mrs. G. M. Newell, supply; Mrs. G. S. Mitchell, assistant supply; Mrs. A. S. J. Butler, community friendship; Mrs. S. H. Shaw, costumes; Mrs. G. B. Kinney, missionary monthly; Miss Pearl More, temperance; Mrs. H. W. Kerley, press. Mrs. J. R. Standen was named representative for Vancouver Island on the Bible instruction in the schools committee.

Delegates' report of year's activities in organizations were heard and installation of officers, Mrs. W. H. Muncy officiating, brought the three-day meeting to a close.

Sooke and North Sooke Women's Institute, tonight at 8, in hall dining-room.

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## Vestry Addition Needed Says Rector

SOOKE—The need for raising funds for enlarging the vestry, in order that children attending Sunday school could get proper instruction, was emphasized by Rev. H. M. Bolton, rector, in his report at the annual vestry meeting of Holy Trinity Church.

He thanked all members of the church committee and heads of organizations for their work and co-operation during the year.

D. H. Chivers was reappointed rector's warden and H. C. Gates was re-elected people's warden. Members of the church committee were also re-elected.

The financial report showed a satisfactory standing for the year with all commitments met, in addition to installation of electric lighting and a new furnace in the church.

A satisfactory year's work was reported by the Sooke and Saanich W.A. The Sunday school report showed a steady increase in pupils but deplored the lack of space to accommodate properly all classes. Report of the Mothers' Union, a newly formed organization in the parish under the guidance of Mrs. Nixon Sr., was given, with an outline of its origin and work.

## Dorothy Dix

### HUSBANDS WANT WIVES TO BE CHEERFUL, NOT GLOOMY

In old-fashioned novels, the beautiful heroine was always steeped in grief up to her eyebrows, whether she had anything to worry over or not. She went about clothed in a green-and-yellow melancholy. And, according to the ballad, she wept with delight when you gave her a smile, and almost drowned the boy friend in her tears when he popped the question. She never did anything so vulgar as to laugh out loud, while as for being jolly—well, she simply was incapable of such a thing.

Now whether this tradition of it being smart for members of the female sex to go about looking as if they were trying to bravely endure some secret sorrow has anything to do with the morbid attitude that women take toward life, nobody knows for certain. But certain it is that although women have no more troubles than men have, they make a lot more ado over them than men do. They cultivate their griefs, and there is nothing they can enjoy more than a good cry.

### CHEERFULNESS A FAULT

Perhaps that is why cheerfulness is not rated along with other feminine attractions that lure men to the altar and that keep them nailed to their own firesides. No girl would think of baiting her hook with a laugh that was hung on a hair-trigger when she went fishing for a husband. Nor could any wife be made to believe that the quickest way to lose her husband is for her to be a Sad Sue.

Yet such is the case, and if I could give one piece of advice more earnest than any other to brides, I would say: Don't be a Doleful Dora. Don't be a wet-blanket wife. That has lost more wives good husbands and good providers than all the sirens who ever existed. For men don't enjoy being miserable the way women do. They don't want to talk about their troubles, or listen to anybody's tale of woe. The one thing men never borrow is trouble.

So, dearie, when you are going to have a tearful make it a hen party. Did you ever notice that when a man comes home of an evening, the first thing he does is to turn on all the lights? That should tip you off to the fact that he craves brightness and cheerfulness, instead of gloom and depression. So meet him with a glad smile, no matter if you do feel in the dumps yourself.

### KID HIM

Don't save up all the bad news you have raked up during the day. Tell him a funny story and radiate so much cheerfulness that he will catch it and brace himself, and kid himself into believing that there are still things worth fighting for and that, by jinks, he is the man to do it. A cheerful wife is a tonic that has saved many a man's life and fortune.

And, above all, don't be a crepe-hanger wife. Don't take the starch out of your husband's every plan and ambition by throwing cold water on them. No

## Labor Champion F. Perkins Still Refuses To Stop Work

By ROWLAND EVANS JR.

WASHINGTON (AP)—Most every morning at 9 she leaves her home, walks down to the corner and hails a taxi-cab.

She might be a grandmother on a shopping tour, except she has no time for shopping.

She's the only member of President Roosevelt's first cabinet still in her government's service. Her name is Frances Perkins.

Since September, 1946, she has been one of the three U.S. civil service commissioners.

Miss Perkins' role as commissioner is an inconspicuous one, far removed from the dynamic part she played during the hectic New Deal era.

Her job demands periodic country-wide trips to 14 regional civil service offices, speech-making, setting up competitive examinations, guarding against inefficiency and fraud, and acting with her two associates—as a civil service policy-making body.

Just now the commissioners are busy with another job—setting up a system of loyalty checks under the loyalty review board.

It's a full schedule that Miss Perkins (she'll be 66 next April) maintains five and sometimes six days a week. She handles it smoothly and gives no thought to the day when she must retire.

Back in 1902, at the time Miss Perkins was beginning to acquire the social thinking which advanced her to President Roosevelt's cabinet, there were few "employment arrangements" between management and labor of

man knows what he can do until he tries it, but he is beaten before he starts if he has a wife at home who is steeped in gloom and who does nothing but prophesy failure and disaster.

the type she subsequently evolved.

"One day a girl got her hand caught in a honey-dripping machine (similar to a punch-press). She was only 14. Her hand had to be amputated well above the wrist."

"Imagine! Only 14! 'Naturally I thought her employer would take care of her, pay her doctor's bills, or at least part of them, and give her some kind of support until she could get back on the job.'"

"But oh no, not at all. He was very, very nice about it but said why should he be responsible? He pointed out there was no law to involve him at all in the tragedy. I just couldn't believe it."

"But today I can tell people there is a law and that kind of thing can't happen. Today it's the law that 14-year-old girls can't even work."

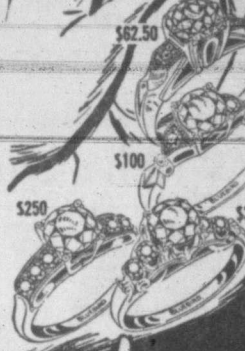
Miss Perkins is the only woman ever to attain cabinet rank. She kept her secretary of labor post longer than any other predecessor (12 years). She was a successful and practical social worker in New York city and held important New York state labor posts from 1912 to 1933. She wrote a labor column which appeared in 1,100 labor publications. She is an author—"The Roosevelt I Knew" has been translated into five languages.

Isn't she about ready to quit? "Why certainly not," she told me, slightly outraged at the thought. "Stop working? You know, I don't think I'll stop until I die."

## Double Trouble

BRISTOL, England (CP)—When a woman tripped and injured her head here another woman rushed to her assistance and fractured her own ankle.

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### Britannia Branch Officers For 1948

The full slate of officers for 1948 of the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion was decided this week as follows:

S. J. Mayzes, president; Ralph Seymour, first vice-president; Kenneth Leeming, second vice-president; C. A. Walton, treasurer; committee chairmen: Ray Parfitt, sports; Stan Jones, entertainment; H. W. Smith, pensions; J. Flaherty, house; W. H. Graham, membership.

W. C. Hudson and Mr. Seymour are branch delegates to the Victoria and District Zone Council of the Legion.

### Make Start On Convention Plans



Plans are now being made by the Victoria Junior Chamber of Commerce for this year's convention of all B.C. junior commerce groups in this city on May 13, 14 and 15. Members of the convention committee, making preliminary arrangements, are, clockwise, left to right: Exton Presley, Brent Murdoch, junior chamber president; Lon Williams, Ted Fox, committee chairman; Clyde Elford, Bill Walker, Ted Chubb and Bill Mooney. Approximately 250 delegates and wives are expected to attend.

### Shaw Does Not Desire To Talk To Living Or Dead

LONDON (Reuter) — George Bernard Shaw, in a letter to the News Chronicle Thursday, said he did not want to talk to any one "alive or dead."

The News Chronicle published a selection of letters from noted men and women who gave their views on which person in British history they would like to meet.

Danny Kaye, the American comedian, and Anthony Eden, former foreign secretary, were among those who gave their views.

The comments: Shaw—I do not want to talk to anybody, alive or dead; but if I craved for entertaining conversation by a first-class raconteur I should choose Oscar Wilde.

Eden—There are so many interesting people. But I think I would choose Bacon. And I would talk to him about gardens.

Kaye—I would love most to meet Winston Churchill. To me, like to all Americans, Winston Churchill represents the spirit of Britain in time of crisis.



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### Union To Ask B.C. To Sell Gasoline

The Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council instructed a three-man committee Wednesday night to request the provincial government to go into the gasoline business.

The action, which came about by the council endorsing a resolution of the executive, called on the committee to interview Premier Byron Johnson on his return from Ottawa. Details of what the executive had in mind were not explained to the council, although it is believed the committee may ask the government to take over the oil companies or import gasoline to help relieve the current shortage caused by three major companies curtailing supplies to retailers.

### Third Call For Bids Issued For Project

The provincial works department in the B.C. Gazette published today called tenders for a third time for the construction of a group of buildings at the tuberculosis sanatorium at Tranquille, near Kamloops.

Rejecting previous bids because they far exceeded provincial engineers' estimates, of costs, the department is hoping to draw more spirited bidding this time. The project includes the construction of four doctors' residences, a nurses home, library building, farm boarding house addition and two farm cottages.

The department, which often calls on contractors to submit a cheque for a set sum which represents 10 per cent of the department's estimate of the cost of the product, gave no hint in the latest tenders. Contractors will be required to submit cheques representing 10 per cent of their bid.

Deadline for the bids has been set at noon March 10.

The department, as usual, warns: "No tender will be considered having any qualifying clause whatsoever."

### Three Health Films Showing At Empress

Dr. C. G. Stoddill, chief of the mental health division, Ottawa, will be speaker at a premiere of three films produced for the Department of National Health and Welfare by the National Film Board in the Princess Louise Room, Empress Hotel, at 8 tonight.

Other speakers will be Col. C. W. Gilchrist of the Ottawa department, and Dr. J. H. Preston, assistant medical health officer, Victoria.

One of the presentations, "Feeling of Rejection," won the highest award in its scientific group at the recent World Film Festival in Chicago. It is the actual case history of a girl who learned in childhood not to risk parental displeasure by taking independent action, and shows the harmful physical effects she suffered as a consequence in later life with the benefit she received through psychotherapy.

Other films are "Mother and Her Child," in color, a guide to prenatal and postnatal care, and "Stanley Takes a Trip," which utilizes paper cutouts in a new animation technique to emphasize the importance of a balanced diet for children. Admission is by invitation card only.

### Great-West Life Reports Gains In All Branches



Gains were reported in all branches of the company's business by H. W. Manning, vice-president and managing director of The Great-West Life Assurance Company, at the annual meeting held in Winnipeg Feb. 3. New business placed with the company in 1947 reached a record figure of \$195,226,000, bringing the total business in force up to \$1,207,394,000, including \$1,011,779,000 in force up to \$1,011,779,000 deferred annuities, the largest total in the company's history and double the business in force in 1937.

In his review of the company's operations for 1947, Mr. Manning stated that, "Last year a reversal in the downward trend of interest rates became apparent and we deliberately increased our cash position in order to invest at more favorable rates later. Recently rates have hardened and shown a fractional increase. How far this will go we cannot forecast, but we do anticipate a continuation of the recently changed trend. Higher interest rates, furthermore, may act as



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a deterrent to continued inflation. The rate of interest—that is the price paid for the use of money," he continued, "was one of the very few items which had not risen in this period of spiralling prices."

Premium income received from policyholders in 1947 amounted to \$38,573,000, an increase of \$2,119,000 over the previous year. Total income aggregated \$58,379,000, which was 7 per cent above 1946 and more than double the income for 1937. In 1947 the Great-West Life increased its investments by \$26,000,000 and total assets reached a peak in excess of \$304,000,000.

### First 5 Families In Parkstone Houses

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## Retired Civil Servants Plan To Lobby For Bonus

Plans to put a strong lobby in the Parliament Buildings during the forthcoming session of the provincial Legislature to force the demands for a cost of living bonus for retired civil servants were discussed at a meeting of the B.C. Retired Civil Servants Association Thursday afternoon.

The plan was put forward by A. S. Tyler, president of the association.

He also suggested that the association issue a bulletin to every retired provincial civil servant in B.C. setting forth the aims of the association and asking for support. Other suggestions to help in gaining public support for the cause of the retired provincial government employee were discussed and all forwarded to a special committee which will decide on future action.

In the meantime the association is taking steps to investigate the establishment of a co-operative enterprise to help swell pensioners' incomes, slashed by the rising costs of living. The rehabilitation commission and the director of technical education have been approached for advice.

At the meeting a letter from Provincial Secretary George S. Pearson, confirming the government's position was read. Mr. Pearson said the government was determined not to increase the pension or pay cost of living bonuses for retired civil servants because such action would open claims for many other groups and put the provincial government in an impossible position under existing conditions.

**PROTEST VOTE**

In the discussion which followed the reading of Mr. Pearson's letter some residents of Saanich told of their determination to cast a protest vote against the government candidate in the forthcoming by-election unless some more satisfactory decision was announced by the government.

The meeting was told that in 1944 the British government had raised pensions of former civil servants by 10 per cent.

Mr. Tyler announced that the last issue of circulars had brought 150 new members for the association.

**ROYAL**

Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer required the record number of six assistant directors to handle one sequence in "Green Dolphin Street," current attraction at the Royal Theatre. The picture required five assistants on three previous scenes, but this hit a new high. Difficult preparations for the sequence, involving more than 200 Maori natives and the leading players, Lana Turner, Van Heflin, Donna Reed and Richard Hart, demanded the unusually large staff.

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**CAPITOL**—"Gone With the Wind," starring Clark Gable and Vivien Leigh.

**DOMINION**—"The Thief of Bagdad," with Sabu.

**OAK BAY**—Royal Wedding pictures, in technicolor.

**PLAZA**—"The Man Within," starring Michael Redgrave.

**RIO**—"Black Beauty," starring Mona Freeman and Richard Denning.

**ROYAL**—"Green Dolphin Street," starring Lana Turner and Van Heflin.

**YORK**—Robert Lowery starring in "God's Country."

## February Shortened By Jealous Emperor

February is the short month on the calendar because of jealousy between two Roman emperors, Dr. R. M. Petrie, assistant director of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, Little Saanich Mountain, told members of the Oak Bay Kiwanis Club at their Thursday night meeting in the Oak Bay Beach Hotel.

Emperor Julius Caesar developed a calendar with months containing 30 and 31 days, Dr. Petrie explained. However, during the rule of Augustus Caesar's need was seen for adjusting this calendar to fit the seasons. Augustus made the necessary adjustments but also took one day from February and added to the month of August, named after himself, so it would be as long as July, the month named after Julius.

The speaker traced the development of the calendar from the day when time was measured by the position of the stars and the moon. The time from one moon to the next came to be known as the month and each quarter of a moon came to be known as a week. This lunar calendar only worked for a short time as it contained only 354 days and consequently was soon out of step with the seasons, Dr. Petrie said.

The modern calendar came into effect in 1582, the speaker noted.

## Snow Keeps Logging Operations Shut

**LAKE COWICHAN**—With more snowfall last week and again this week, in the Lake Cowichan and surrounding areas, logging operations suspended before Christmas, because of the then heavy snow, are still idle. One logging operation has been closed since Dec. 10.

**ATLAS**

A spectacular millinery opening, as it is done in New York to launch the fall season, is seen in "The Secret Life of Walter Mitty," the new Samuel Goldwyn comedy in Technicolor starring Danny Kaye and Virginia Mayo at the Atlas Theatre.

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**RIO**

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## Start Plans For \$100,000 Fund For Housing Of Victoria Aged

Plans for the more adequate housing of Victoria's aged citizens were discussed in detail at the first annual meeting of the Senior Citizens' Welfare Society of Greater Victoria, held at the home of Miss Sara Spencer on Moss Street Thursday afternoon.

Ten directors were elected for the coming year, and they will name their own officers later. Those on the board are Dr. M. Sherman, Miss Sara Spencer, Cyril Jones, Mrs. A. C. Ross, Mrs. Nancy Hodges, George Wilkinson, Mrs. D. Heddie, Mrs. C. D. Schofield, R. Cowley and Miss M. Baird.

Dr. Richard Felton, who acted as chairman for the meeting, detailed the activities of the special committee which had arranged for the incorporation of the society, since its initial meeting March of last year, and read the constitution and by-laws, which were adopted.

Objective of the society, he said, was \$100,000, to be used for the provision of a home for aged. Donations of \$1,300 from the Quota Corps, and \$207 from the nucleus of the fund.

Miss Spencer commented that the Quota Club was the first organization to make a donation, and said she hoped other groups

## Von Stuelpnagel, Who Commanded Germans In France, Ends Life

PARIS (AP)—A war ministry spokesman announced today that Gen. Otto von Stuelpnagel, wartime commander of German troops in occupied France, hanged himself this morning in Cherche-Midi Prison.

Stuelpnagel, a 69-year-old bachelor, was under indictment on charges of "crimes against international law," including the execution of hostages.

His defence counsel, Marcel Heraud, said:

"I saw him a few days ago and he seemed depressed. I tried to convince him his case was not so desperate as he thought."

Stuelpnagel was the second wartime German army officer to take his own life in two days while facing war crimes charges. Gen. Johannes Blaskowitz, who surrendered to the Canadian army in Holland in 1945, jumped to his death Thursday from a prison catwalk in Nuremberg. He was about to go on trial before a U.S. court.

Stuelpnagel was arrested on his estate in the French occupation zone of Germany Dec. 12, 1946. He had been sought by the French since Germany's defeat in the spring of 1945 and was brought to Paris to be tried.

The Agence France-Presse said Stuelpnagel was found in his cell shortly after midnight, hanged with strips of bedding. Fruitless efforts were made to revive him.

Born in Berlin in 1878, Stuelpnagel was commander-in-chief of German troops in occupied France from Oct. 25, 1940, until June, 1942. He also was military commander of Greater Paris.

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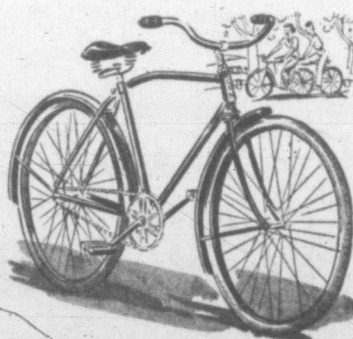
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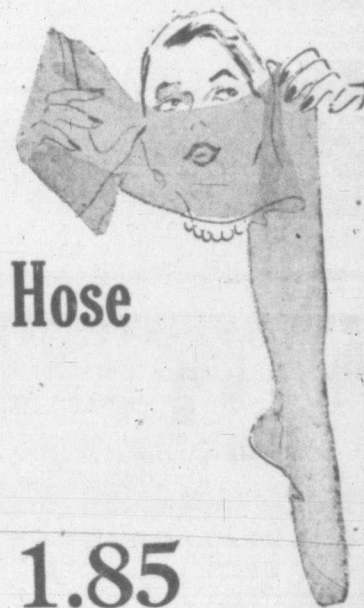
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## Queen Of World's Skaters



BARBARA ANN SCOTT

Today at St. Moritz, Canada's famous skating star completed her clean sweep of the world's figure skating titles by lifting the Olympic crown. By her victory Miss Scott realized a cherished ambition. She had previously captured both the world and European championships.

## Playoff Tilts Feature Of Week-End Hoop Schedule

City hoop playdowns will continue at the High School gym tonight and tomorrow night with three games scheduled for each night, all but one of which will be off the playoff variety.

Heading tonight's card at 9 is the third game of the best-of-three semifinal series for the men's senior B crown, between the defending champion Brentwood Aces and Esquimalt.

Aces won the first game by a one-sided 61 to 42 count, but Esquimalt bounced back to square the series with a 42 to 32 verdict. Winner of tonight's game will meet K.V.'s in a best-of-three final series starting Monday.

K.V. Lions and Canadian Legion midjet boys will open the card tonight with the first game of their total-point series for the city title, while the middle tilt will see Comets playing Hudson's Bay in an exhibition girls' game.

With the senior A league crown going to M.V.s, tomorrow night's game between the "Y" and K.V.'s has no bearing on the playoff variety, but will rather serve to renew the bitter rivalry that has existed between the teams throughout the season.

**ALCOS MEET EAGLES**  
Two of the smartest young cage clubs in the city take the floor in the second game Saturday night when Alcos and Eagles meet in the second game of the best-of-five intermediate A men's final. Eagles trounced Alcos during league play, but the Hank Rowe coached club dumped the birdmen in the first playoff game Wednesday night to take the series lead. Many fans feel the series will go the limit.

In the Saturday preliminary Hotshots meet Hepcats in the first game of the best-of-three junior girls' playoff.

## Canada-Czechs Battle To Scoreless Ice Tie

ST. MORITZ (CP)—Canada's chances of winning the hockey tournament played in conjunction with the Olympic Winter Games grew today as the R.C.A.F. Flyers held the crack Czechoslovak squad to a scoreless draw.

The unbeaten Swiss team meanwhile took over undisputed first place in the standings with a 14 to 0 defeat of Poland and the new leaders have yet to play Canada and Czechoslovakia—rated the toughest teams in the tournament.

The Swiss victory, in a game not previously scheduled for today, gave Switzerland 12 points for six straight victories. Canada and Czechoslovakia each have 11 points for five victories and today's tie.

Switzerland tackles the Czechs tomorrow and Canada on Sunday in the round-robin competition. The Flyers tomorrow meet Austria in what should be an easy contest for the Canadian squad and the Czechs should not be extended in their game Sunday against the United States.

Switzerland can win the tournament with victories against Canada and Czechoslovakia but if Canada and Czechoslovakia both win, these two teams would end in a tie for the leadership.

A split by Switzerland would send either the Canadians or the Czechs to final victory.

Today's games left the Flyers still tops in the goal average department. If the tournament ends in a tie the victor will be the team with the highest quotient of goals scored over goals against.

Canada's goal record is 54 goals scored compared with five against. The Swiss mark is 66-11 and the Czechs 69-14.

Coach Mike Buckna of the Czechs said after today's game: "It's real playoff hockey." Jaroslav Drobný, Czech winger and Davis Cup star, said: "I'm afraid

Canada now will win because they have a better goal average." The three top teams are the only ones left in competition for the tournament crown.

The United States Amateur Hockey Association team defeated Austria 13 to 2 today to boost their total to eight, still three behind Canada and Czechoslovakia. It was Austria's sixth defeat in seven starts.

**FLYERS HELD EDGE**  
On territorial play in the Canada-Czech encounter, the Flyers looked at least a goal better than their opponents.

"I think we have a good chance of taking it," said Coach Frank Boucher after the game. The Flyers had a real scoring chance in the middle frame when George Mara, one of the main offensive threats of the Canadian squad, grabbed a loose puck five yards out and blasted a sizzling shot which Modry just managed to deflect. The Canadians kept up the pressure and at times the Czechs seemed bewildered.

At the 15-minute mark in the third period Mara drew a penalty and the Czechs sent up five forwards. They buzzed like hornets around Dowe but Frank Dunster and Andre Lapere were airtight on defence. When Mara returned, the Canadians again turned on the heat and were pressing hard at the final whistle.

It was goalie Murray Dowe's third shutout in six tournament games.

**Learn Mentioned As New Coach Of Calgary Gridders**  
CALGARY (CP)—Officials of the Calgary Stampede Football Club said today that Les Lear, former Winnipeg Blue Bomber linebacker, was being considered as coach for the Calgary entry in the Western Interprovincial Football Union this year.

Lear has been in the city for two days conferring with team officials and his application, along with that of Dean Griffing, coach of the club since 1945, and several other applicants will be considered at a club executive meeting Tuesday.

"We have discussed the matter with Lear," president Tom Brook said. "But that is as far as things have gone. His proposition, along with others, will be considered at Tuesday's meeting and a decision will be made at that time."

Lear, member of two Winnipeg Grey Cup teams and assistant coach to Bomber pilot Reg Threlfall, later signed with Cleveland Rams and has been playing with the National League team in the United States since that time. He is one of the few Canadians to make good in United States major professional football.

**LEGION LINE-UP**  
Canadian Legion senior soccer line-up for tomorrow's match against Victoria West at Athletic Park follows: Holt, Burt, G. Robbins, Heggie, Brown, G. Oxley, Brooks, Pennington, Pickup, D. Robbins, W. Oxley and McCormick. Game time is 2.30.

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## U.B.C. Thunderbirds Invited To Kinsmen Basketball Tourney

Varsity Thunderbirds have been invited to participate in the annual Kinsmen basketball tournament, scheduled for the Armories March 5 and 6, Jack Phillon of the Kinsmen Club said today following a meeting of the tournament committee last night.

Phillon stated that the tourney would take place only if a fourth team entry could be obtained. Seattle Alpine Dairy and Elks Club have accepted invitations to compete but Vancouver Clover Leafs turned down a bid when they were unable to play on the Friday night.

The local entry will be the senior A championship club. Playoffs in the senior division should be over by the time the tourney takes place.

All proceeds from the proposed invitational tourney will be used for the Kinsmen Parcels to Britain Fund.

**Lloyd Mangrum Sets Money-Winning Pace On Golfing Circuit**

CHICAGO (AP)—Little Lloyd Mangrum, who slumped last year after winning the 1946 United States Open, is swinging in front of the professional golfing brigade after the first month of 1948 competition with earnings of \$5,783.

In 19 rounds of play, Professional Golfers' Association statistics show, Mangrum also is tops in skill with an average of 68.68 strokes a round which gave him \$4.43 every time he tapped the ball last month.

Runner-up to Mangrum is South Africa's Bobby Locke with \$5,095 and a 69.16 average for the same five events—the Los Angeles Open, Bing Crosby promoter, Richmond Open, Phoenix Open and Tucson Open.

Ben Hogan, 1947 leader at this time with \$6,233, now ranks third with \$4,512 for 15 rounds in which he averaged 69.27 strokes.

**Tail-End Portland Ends Losing Streak**

The doormat Portland Eagles of the Pacific Coast Hockey League snapped an eight-game losing streak last night and won their tenth victory of the season.

Coming from behind on Joe Bockstael's two third-period scores and adding an extra tally by Ed Tolton, the Portland club won 6 to 4 over the New Westminster Royals.

New Westminster held a 4 to 3 edge in the final period when Bockstael cut loose with his rapid fire, Phil Dalglish of Portland and Bob Love of the Royals also scored two goals apiece.

**Pete Jonas Coach Of Varsity Squad**

FOREST GROVE, Ore. (AP)—Pete Jonas, ex-Pacific Coast and Western International League baseball player, Thursday was appointed baseball coach at Pacific University.

Jonas, who played for Vancouver in the Western International loop last season, is a student in the college of optometry here.

A pitcher-outfielder, he has played also for Seattle and Spokane.

**Fort Monmouth Wins Wheelchairs' Title**

NEW YORK (AP)—The Fort Monmouth basketball team, playing in wheelchairs, defeated the Halloran General Hospital quintette, made up of injured soldiers paralyzed from the waist down, 26 to 21, Thursday night.

Halloran had won 19 straight games before the upset.

**Pesky Chicago Hawks Knock Over Canadiens**

Those Chicago Black Hawks are getting to be an awful nuisance to other National Hockey League clubs concentrating on playoff positions. The Chicago Hawks are well and truly in the cellar, but they just won't roll over and play dead.

The Hawks, long the doormats of the other five teams, acquired a new coach at the start of the year in big Charlie Conacher, former Toronto Maple Leaf star. Since then the Hawks have played 16 games, and they've won six, tied two, and lost eight.

The resurgence of the Hawks reached a new high last night when they walloped the Canadiens 7 to 2 right in the Montreal Forum. It not only spoiled the Canadiens' cherished dream of taking over fourth place—Canadiens are still tied with Boston for the last playoff spot—must have set coach Dick Irvin and the Canadiens bosses to adjusting their spectacles for rearward as well as forward views. Because the Hawks now are just seven points behind Montreal and Boston.

The Canadiens had been doing pretty well of late but last night they were behind the eight-ball all the way. The Chicago forwards were rushing and checking all the time, the Chicago defence was working like a clock and young Emile Francis from Regina was a big-league star in every sense in the Chicago nets.

Roy Conacher scored three of the Hawk goals and Gaye Stewart got two. Bud Poile and Doug Bentley scored the others. Joe Carveth and rookie Norm Dussault got the Canadian counters.

**SUMMARY**  
First Period—1, Chicago, Stewart (Bodnar), 13:47. Penalties: Gadsby, Reardon, Montreal, Montreal.  
Second Period—3, Chicago, Poile (Prystai, Geri), 14:06. Penalty: Goldhamer.  
Third Period—3, Chicago, Conacher (Bentley), 2:31; A. Montreal, Carveth (Reay, Lezer), 4:20; S. Chicago, Conacher (Bentley), 11:27; Montreal, Dussault (Lezer, Carveth), 12:44; S. Chicago, Conacher (Bentley), 12:52; S. Chicago, Bentley (Reay), 13:00. Penalties: None.

## Barbara Scott Completes Sweep Of World Skating Championships

## Weekly Fishing Reports Issued By Game Wardens

**VICTORIA DETACHMENT**

Koksilah River—Vicinity of Burnt Bridge a few steelhead but hard to lure. Water condition fair.

Sooke River—Poor, water at present too clear.

Several anglers have been observed at the mouth of Goldstream but no fish taken.

**ROYAL OAK DETACHMENT**

Sea Fishing—Grillse fishing good in the Saanich Arm, with a few jack springs being taken.

**NANAIMO DETACHMENT**

Steelhead fishing remains poor, a few catches reported from the Nanaimo River, and the two Qualicum Rivers.

**ALBERNI DETACHMENT**

The fish taken this last week few. Some fishermen reported the odd one hooked are dark fish.

Halmit River has shown best results during the week.

**QUALICUM DETACHMENT**

Steelhead fishing has been good the last two weeks in this area. From results to date it looks like a record year for the number of steelhead taken in the Little Qualicum.

**Norm Baker Scores 21 Points In Cage Win Over Portland**

Pacific Coast Professional Basketball League contests ran according to form last night, Bellingham topped Tacoma 62 to 54 and Vancouver edging Portland 63 to 61.

The win edged Vancouver into front of Seattle in the league race by half a game although both clubs still are undefeated in second-half play.

Three players topped the 20-mark in scoring: Gale Bishop hit 27 for Bellingham, Noble Jorgensen 25 for Portland, and Norm Baker 21 for Vancouver.

Teams and scores follow:  
Portland—Anderson 8, Kerber 4, Jorgensen 25, Tait 7, Smith 4, Ross 3, Jovell 8.  
Vancouver—Baker 21, Lavin 11, Oster 8, Chalmers 11, Nicol 4, White 2, Vaughn, Stevens.  
Bellingham—Maul 3, Bishop 27, Hays 11, Atkins 2, Dorr 3, Patterson 8, Wark 8, Gaffney.  
Tacoma—Kajala 7, Rhodes 4, Graf 11, R. Voelker 12, J. Voelker 8, Leifer 2, Harstman 2, Noffler 3, Cross 3.

**Two Intermediate Rugby Games Billed**

Intermediate rugburs will play at Macdonald Park tomorrow with two games on the schedule.

Canadian-Scottish will meet Navy in one match, while Oak Bay Wanderers play Fifth Regiment in the second tilt. Games are listed to start at 2.30.

**Chicago Stars Gain In Hockey Scoring**

Chicago's top marksmen had a field day last night as the Hawks plastered Canadiens 7 to 2. Bud Poile picked up a goal and an assist to take over fourth spot in the N.H.L. scoring list, while Gaye Stewart collected two goals and three assists, which moved these sharpshooters into a seventh-place tie.

**Leaders follow:**  
O'Connor, New York 22, 40; Lach, Montreal 22, 19; 41; M. Bentley, Toronto 22, 19; 41; Poile, Chicago 20, 21; 40; Lindsay, Detroit 20, 14; 39; McPadden, Detroit 20, 13; 39; G. Stewart, Chicago 20, 18; 38; Adams, Toronto 17, 21; 38; D. Bentley, Chicago 14, 24; 38.

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ST. MORITZ (CP)—Canada's Barbara Ann Scott today won the women's figure-skating championship at the fifth Winter Olympics, climaxing a success story perhaps unparalleled in Canadian sport history and bringing to the Dominion its first Olympic skating title.

The 19-year-old Canadian girl, with a characteristically polished performance, scored marks ranging from 5.3 to 5.9 in the free-figure phase of the championship. Six is perfection.

The official announcement came after Barbara Ann's flawless form in the free figures made it certain that the judges would confirm the unofficial figures.

Most of the other competitors in the field of 25 from 11 countries were just going through their paces in sunlit Olympic Stadium after Barbara Ann, skating "unlucky 13th" in the bulky field, gave her graceful exhibition.

Placing of the other contestants behind Barbara Ann was not immediately announced.

**TREACHEROUS ICE**

Wearing her blonde hair page-boy style above a flaired white fur dress, in which she appeared for the first time, Barbara Ann was her usual steady self over a difficult ice surface which spilled several of her rivals, including Gretchen Merrill of Boston, Suzanne Morrow of Toronto, and Eileen Seign of Brooklyn, N.Y.

The estimated 5,000 spectators in the big, open-air stadium cheered lustily as Barbara Ann skated off.

Although point totals and placings were yet to come, it appeared that Jeannette Altwegg of Britain and Eva Pawlik of Austria were locked in a duel for the runner-up spot, Jirina Nekolova of Czechoslovakia turned in an improved performance and seemed likely to finish fourth.

Miss Scott was radiantly happy in her dressing-room after the victory.

Signing autographs and chatting gaily with her trainer, Sheldon Galbraith, Barbara Ann gave a flat "no" to questions whether she plans to turn professional.

Her mother, Mrs. Clyde Scott, chimed in: "We have no such aspirations."

**NO PROFESSIONAL OFFERS**  
Barbara Ann told reporters that if she were asked to turn professional, her answer would be "I think I want to stay amateur."

"I want to learn to cook," The blonde skating stylist added that so far she had received no professional offers.

In winning, Barbara Ann took the Olympic title from European hands for the first time. Norway's Sonja Henie was queen of the ice lanes from 1927 to 1936.

The Olympic title had been Barbara Ann's most cherished ambition almost from the time she first donned skates at the age of seven. Since then she has become an international celebrity, winning amateur title after title, but she had no chance to take the Olympic honor until this year.

After her performance Barbara Ann reappeared on the ice arm in arm with Galbraith and went through a routine for photographers.

Barbara Ann, asked about marriage prospects, said "I haven't even thought about it."

"I practice eight hours a day and as you can see I haven't much time."

Then she turned with a grin to Jimmy Grogan, United States figure skater, and chuckled: "I'm waiting for him." But she hastened to remind reporters: "You'd better put this in, Jimmy is 16."

Munching chocolate given her by an admirer, Barbara Ann said the ice was "very soft."

"I've never been so tired in my life. It's a combination of high altitude and mushy ice."

Galbraith was enthusiastic. "Brother, it's wonderful!" he shouted.

**Max Lanier Signs With Mexican League**

HAVANA (AP)—Max Lanier, former St. Louis Cardinal pitcher, signed a contract Thursday with Jorge Pasquel, head of the Mexican Baseball League, to play in Mexico again next season.

Previously, Pasquel had signed catcher Jim Steiner, at one time property of Cleveland Indians, for another season below the border. Lanier and Steiner have been playing for Almendares in Cuba this winter, and both are expected to be with the Vera Cruz team in Mexico.

**BABE RUTH 56**  
MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP)—Babe Ruth is 56 years old today, but won't celebrate until tomorrow.

The home run king, recuperating from a long illness, will be honor guest at a small party tomorrow night. Ruth, accompanied by Mrs. Ruth and a male nurse, arrived by train from New York yesterday.

Ruth finished without showing signs of exhaustion. Second place in the stamina-taxing test went to Harald Eriksson, also of Sweden, in three hours, 52 minutes, 20 seconds.

**Oak Bay To Meet Indians Tomorrow**  
Intermediate soccer fixtures billed for tomorrow find Saanich Indians playing Oak Bay, and Navy meeting Saanich Thistles. The Oak Bay-Indians clash is slated for lower Beacon Hill, with Thistles meeting the sailors at Colville Road. Both games start at 2.30. Brentwood Aces, currently leading the league, are idle.

**Swedish Star Wins Cross Country Ski**  
ST. MORITZ (AP)—Nils Karlsson, solemn-faced Swede, won the 50-kilometre cross-country ski race today in the excellent time of three hours, 47 minutes and 48 seconds.

Karlsson finished without showing signs of exhaustion. Second place in the stamina-taxing test went to Harald Eriksson, also of Sweden, in three hours, 52 minutes, 20 seconds.











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Announcements

TRACE - Born to Jean (nee Clavard), wife of David Trace, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Feb. 5, 1948, a daughter, Jennifer.

WALTON - To Mr. and Mrs. Chas. G. Walton (nee Helen C. Howell), at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on Feb. 5, 1948, a daughter, Jennifer.

MARRIAGES  
PATERSON-HAYES - The marriage is announced of Pearl June Hayes, fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Paterson, 124 Walnut Street, to Mr. Leslie K. Paterson, son of Mr. M. Paterson and the late Mrs. P. Paterson, 440 Bay Street. The ceremony took place on Saturday, Jan. 31, at 7 o'clock, at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. G. A. Reynolds.

DEATHS  
BROWN - On Feb. 4, 1948, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Peter Colthart, twin son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Brown, of 3377 Shebourne Street, aged 12 days. Predeceased by his twin brother, Jan. 22, 1948. Burial at the Royal Oak Burial Park, Victoria, on Saturday, Feb. 7, 1948, at 10 a.m. (No flowers, by request.)

KENNY - Passed away at Victoria, B.C., on Feb. 3, 1948, Jeanette, beloved wife of J. B. Kenny of Halifax, N.S. Funeral service in St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, on Saturday, Feb. 7, at 11 a.m. Ven. Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunna officiating. Burial at the Royal Oak Burial Park, Victoria, on Saturday, Feb. 7, at 11 a.m. (No flowers, by request.)

MCCARTER - At his residence, 1130 Summit Avenue, Dr. Alexander McCarter, aged 70, born in Victoria, British Columbia, and resided in Victoria since 1914. He leaves his wife, at home, two brothers, Lawrence G. McCarter, of Vancouver, B.C., and Dr. R. C. McCarter, of Seattle, Wash., one sister, Mrs. H. B. Burr, of New Westminster, B.C., one niece, Mrs. Thekla M. Waite, of Seattle, Wash., and other relatives. Funeral from St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, on Saturday, Feb. 7, at 11 a.m. Ven. Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunna officiating. Burial at the Royal Oak Burial Park, Victoria, on Saturday, Feb. 7, at 11 a.m. (No flowers, by request.)

MILLER - On Feb. 5, 1948, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Anne Elizabeth Miller, aged 71 years, beloved wife of John G. Miller, of 1007 Fairfield Road. She was born in Grey County, Ontario, and had resided in Victoria for the past 12 years. The late Mrs. Miller leaves to mourn her loss, her husband, one daughter, Mrs. Charles Hay of Regina, Sask., and three grandchildren, also one sister, Mrs. W. A. Reid of Oak Lake, Sask., and other relatives. Funeral services will be held in St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, on Saturday, Feb. 7, at 11 a.m. Ven. Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunna officiating. Burial at the Royal Oak Burial Park, Victoria, on Saturday, Feb. 7, at 11 a.m. (No flowers, by request.)

SMITH - On Feb. 3, at the family residence, 3719 Belmont Avenue, there passed away suddenly Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, at the age of 40 years, the first of this city for 40 years. The late Mrs. Smith leaves to mourn her loss, her husband, one daughter, Mrs. Charles Hay of Regina, Sask., and three grandchildren, also one sister, Mrs. W. A. Reid of Oak Lake, Sask., and other relatives. Funeral services will be held in St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, on Saturday, Feb. 7, at 11 a.m. Ven. Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunna officiating. Burial at the Royal Oak Burial Park, Victoria, on Saturday, Feb. 7, at 11 a.m. (No flowers, by request.)

SNOW - On Feb. 5, 1948, at the residence, 3217 Irma Street, Mrs. Mary Snow, aged 74, widow of John Snow, born at Green's Pond, Newfoundland, and a resident of Victoria for 17 years. She leaves two daughters, Miss Rita Snow, of Victoria, and Mrs. A. M. Collier, of Victoria, and two grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at the Royal Oak Burial Park, Victoria, on Saturday, Feb. 7, at 11 a.m. Ven. Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunna officiating. Burial at the Royal Oak Burial Park, Victoria, on Saturday, Feb. 7, at 11 a.m. (No flowers, by request.)

STONE - On Feb. 4, 1948, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, there passed away Mrs. Ellen K. Stone, at the age of 87 years. The late Mrs. Stone leaves to mourn her loss, one sister, Mrs. Allen Robertson of Montreal, Que., and several nieces and nephews. Funeral service will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 p.m., Feb. 7, from the parlors of the Curry Funeral Home, The Rev. P. E. M. Tomlinson officiating. Cremation at Royal Oak Burial Park.

CARD OF THANKS  
Mr. S. Thompson and his three daughters wish to thank all their friends for the kindness and sympathy they have shown in this hour of bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM  
BALL - In loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Harriett Ball, who died Feb. 6, 1948.  
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Come from the earth of sorrow and care,  
Loving hands that held their dear ones,  
Dear Mother, gone to rest,  
Forgotten to the world by someone maybe,  
But dear Mother in our memory you will always be.  
Your cheerful smile and kindly ways are pleasant to recall.  
You had a kind word for everyone, and died beloved by all.  
Sadly missed by her loving daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hall, Verden Avenue, Brentwood Bay.

MACDONALD - In memory of Set. A. E. Macdonald, who died as a prisoner of war, Feb. 6, 1945.  
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 71. LY 6-ROOM BUNGALOW. Has  
 entrance hall living-room, three bed-  
 rooms, dining-room, three bedrooms,  
 three-piece bathroom. Large cabinet kit-  
 chen. Separate garage. Double lot, beau-  
 tifully improved with lawns and shrubbery.  
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 showing center. LIBERAL TERMS AND  
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 72. CITY with living-room, din-  
 ing-room, two good-sized bedrooms and  
 bathroom. Full basement with laundry  
 room and wood furnace and laundry  
 room. Two-room self-contained suite in  
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 73. room home with full basement with  
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 bungalow. Has living-room with fire-  
 place and highly polished floors, two  
 bright and airy bedrooms, utility room  
 and sparkling cabinet kitchen. Price in-  
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 lovely garden. Situated close to city  
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 right is. It's a snap for  
 \$5500  
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 77. rented. \$24. one room, \$16. two rooms,  
 \$20. Total revenue, \$60. Four rooms for  
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Four-room log cottage, on 1 1/2 acres with good water. Electricity passes property. **\$3,500**

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## Returning Officer Sets Up 20 Places For Saanich Polling

Robert Brydon, returning officer for the Saanich Feb. 23 provincial by-election, reported today that 20 polling places, along with a special booth for absentees at the Veterans' Hospital, would be opened at which electors could cast their ballots on polling day.

The following is a list of the polling places:

1978 Neil Street; St. Aidan's Hall, Cedar Hill Cross Road; Lake Hill Community Hall, Quadra Street; St. Mark's Hall, Bolekine Road; Gordon Head Hall, Tyndall Avenue; 3890 Douglas Street, near corner Ralph Street; Marigold Hall, Marigold Road; Strawberry Vale Hall, Burnside Road near High Street; Roy Road Hall, Colquitz, Wilkison Road at Roy Road; McMoran's Pavilion, Cordova Bay; Hamsterley Lakeside Tea Rooms, East Saanich Road.

Women's Institute Hall, Royal Oak; Women's Institute Hall, West Saanich Road, Brentwood; Temperance Hall, East Saanich Road, Keating; Agricultural Hall, Saanich; St. Martin's Hall, Obed Avenue; Hampton Hall, Hampton Road at Tillicum; St. Augustine's Hall, Deep Cove; Knights of Pythias Hall, 4th Ave., Sidney; Hill Top Tea Rooms, East Saanich Road.

## Premier Unable To Give Address Here Monday

Premier Byron Johnson, who had been scheduled to speak for a second time in the Saanich by-election campaign Monday night, has informed campaign officials that he will be unable to make the address.

Attorney-General and Labor Minister Gordon S. Wismer, who was scheduled to speak with Mr. Johnson, will, however, carry on and be the feature speaker for the meeting to be held at 8 Monday night in St. Aidan's Church Hall, Cedar Hill Cross Road and Richmond Avenue.

Mr. Johnson's week has been in Ottawa conferring with federal government officials. The pressure of business will not permit him to make the Monday address.

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